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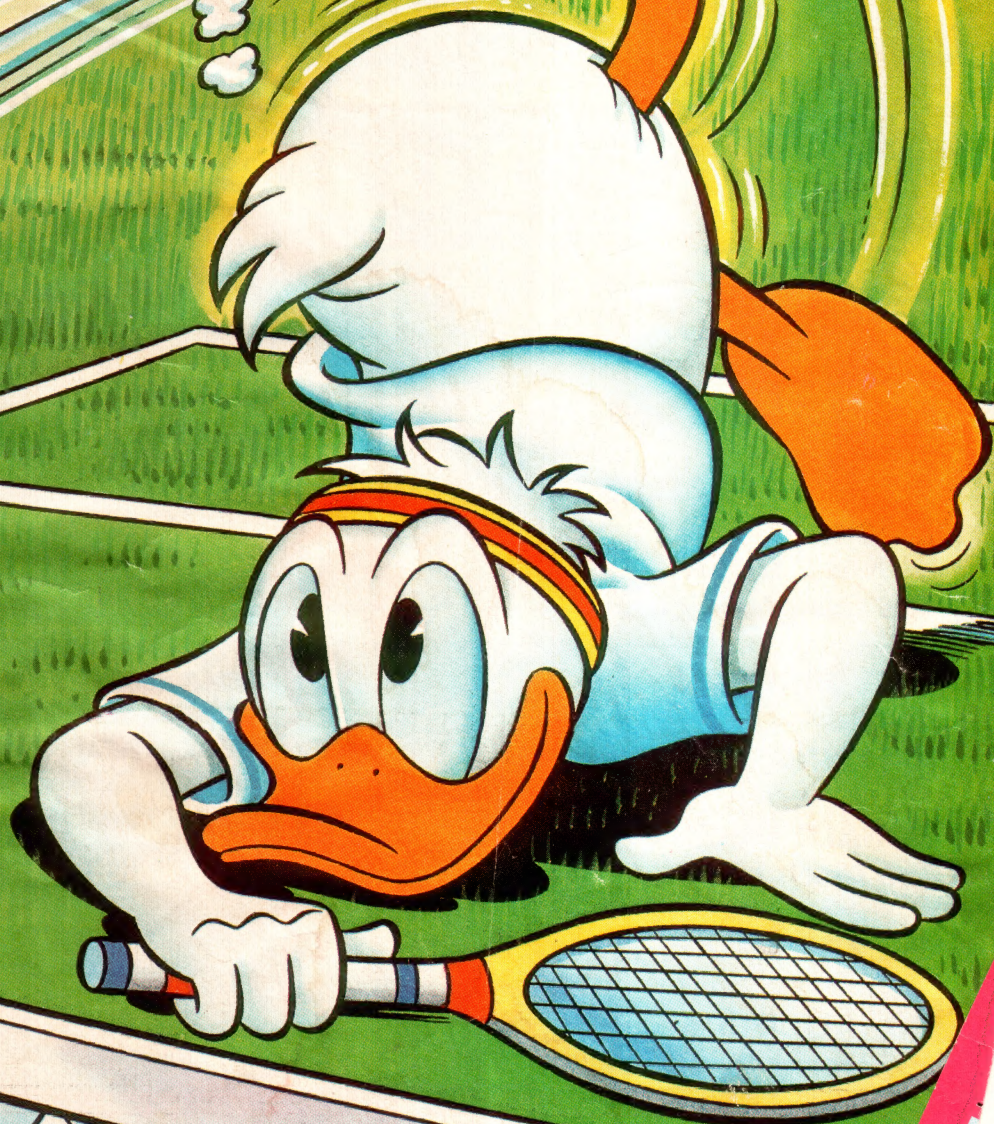
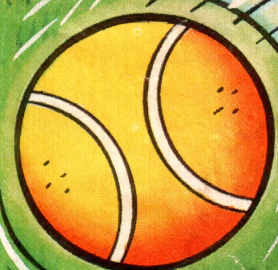
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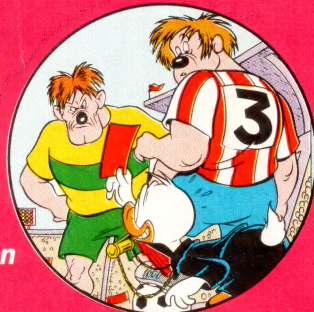
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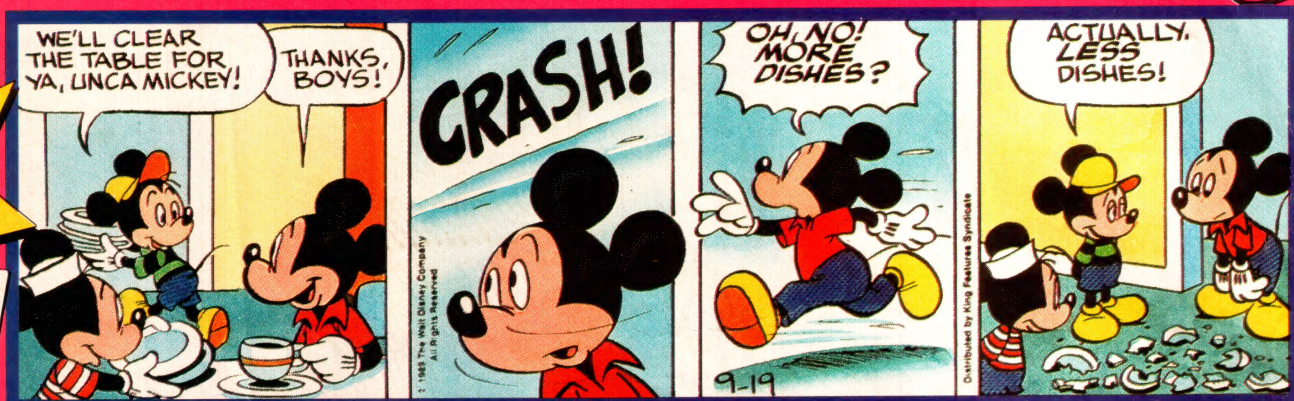


Hi, everyone!



It's a bit of a sporty week this week, what with Wimbledon and the World Cup! As you can see on the cover, Donald's having his annual go at playing tennis, with the usual results! If football's more your game, then take a look at our great competition on this page! See you next week!

Mickey



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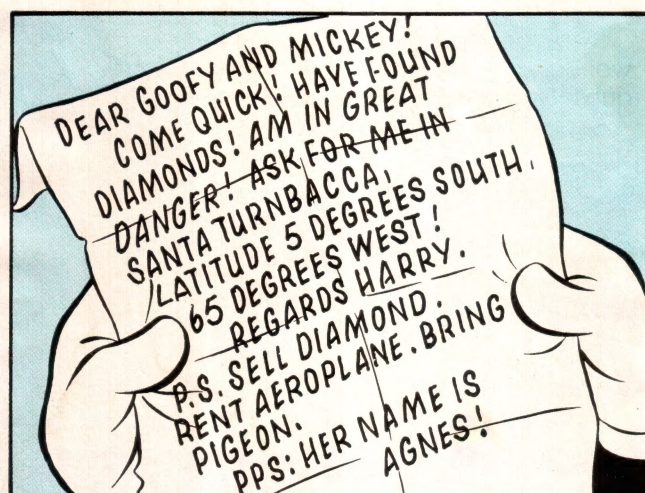
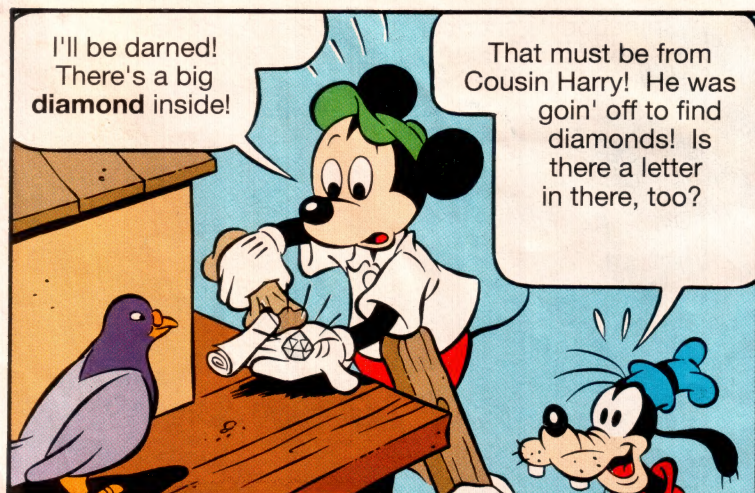
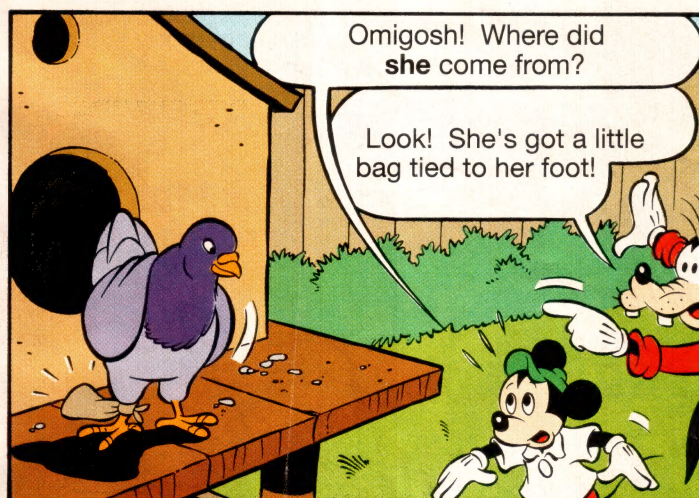
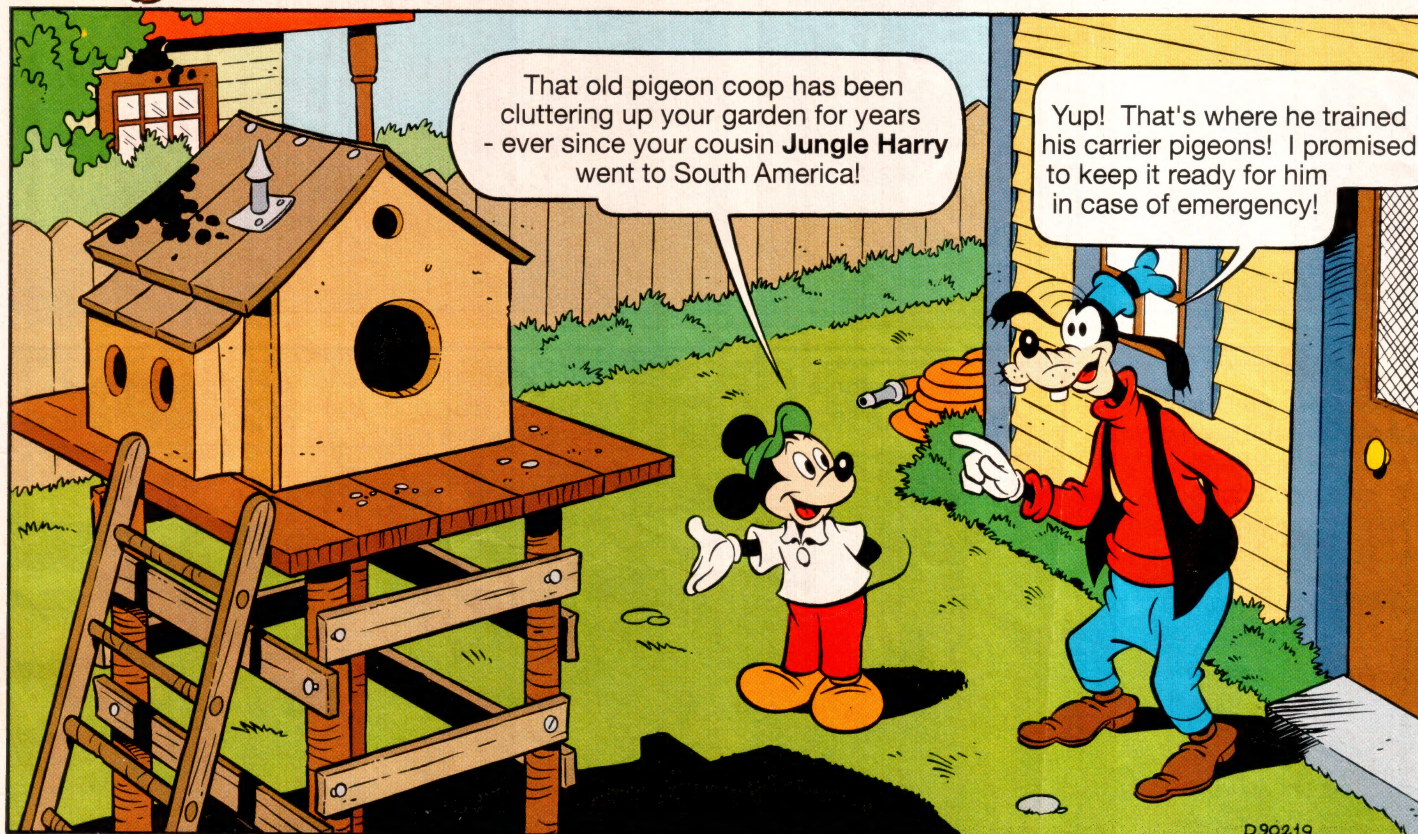
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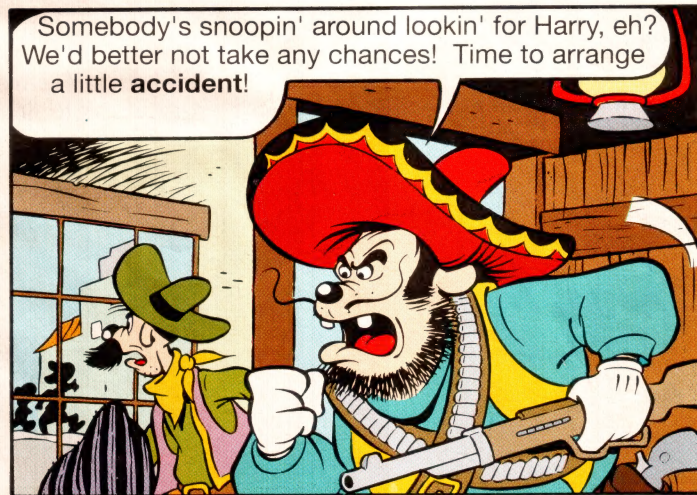
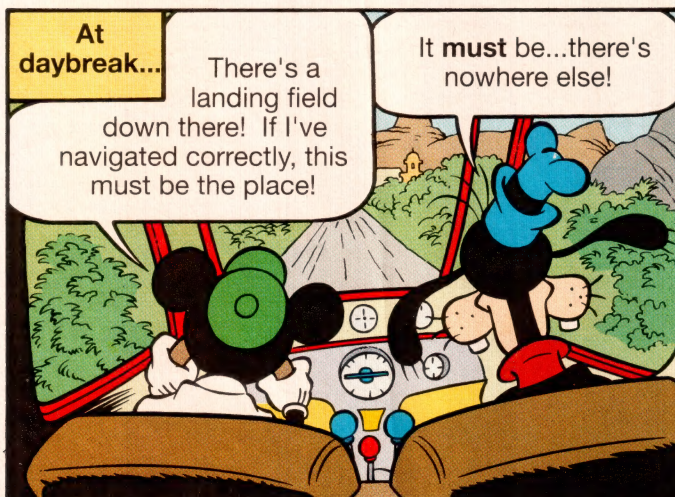
Send your answer, together with your name and address, on the back of a postcard or stuck-down envelope to: Pro Action Football, Mickey's Mail, PO Box 61, London, WC1H 9SG. The closing date for entries is 23rd July 1994. The Editor's decision is final and no correspondence shall be entered into.

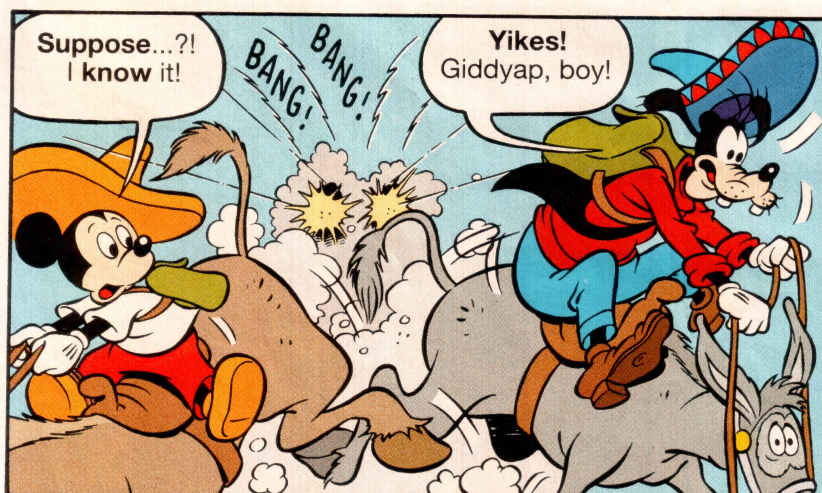
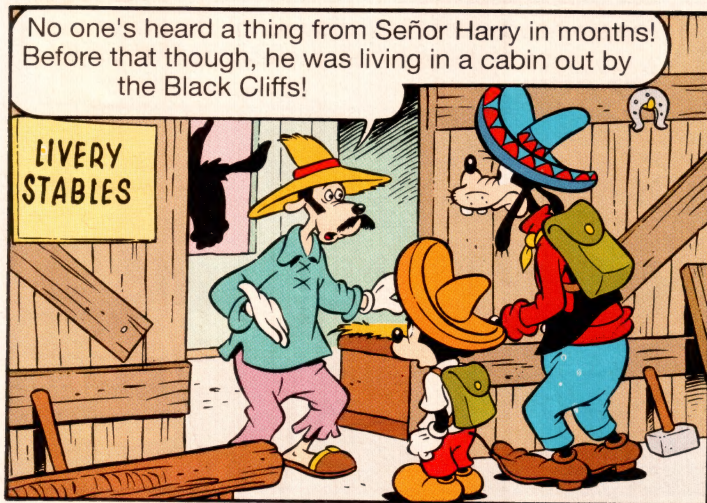


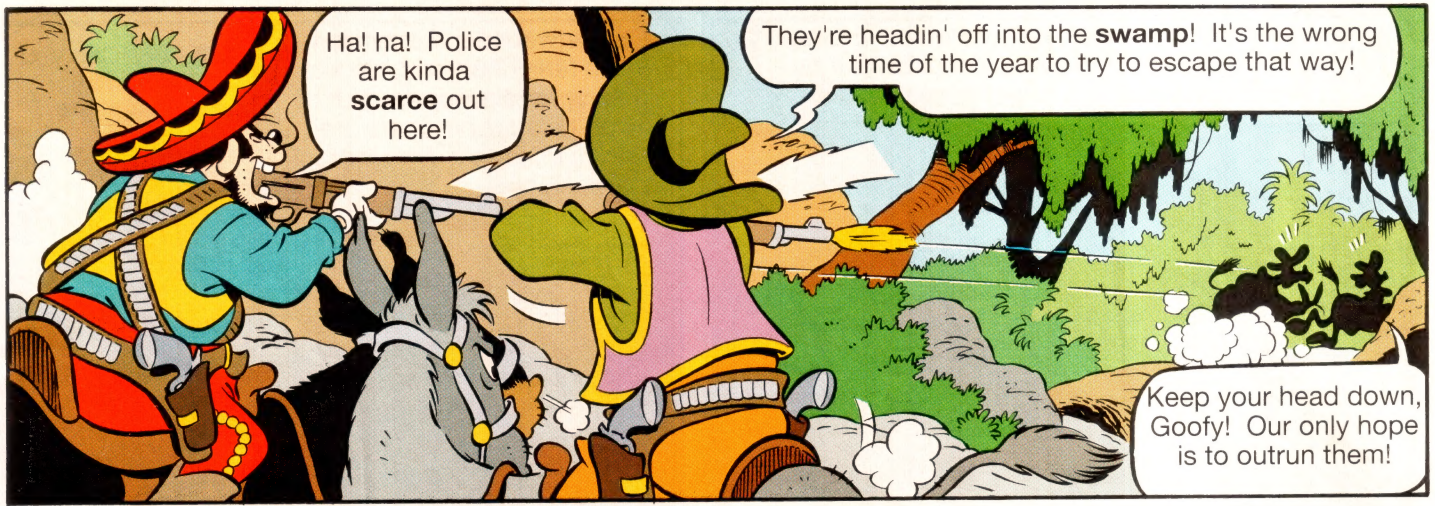
MICKEY MOUSE

Hitting The Diamond Trail











Hurry! There may be other bandits right behind them!

Yup! An' they might untie these guys!



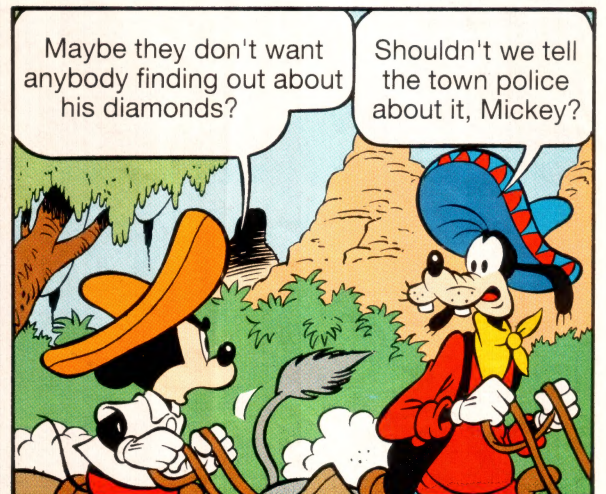
We'd better let the donkeys go so they can't follow us!

Okay! Donkeys are as good as pigeons at findin' their way home!



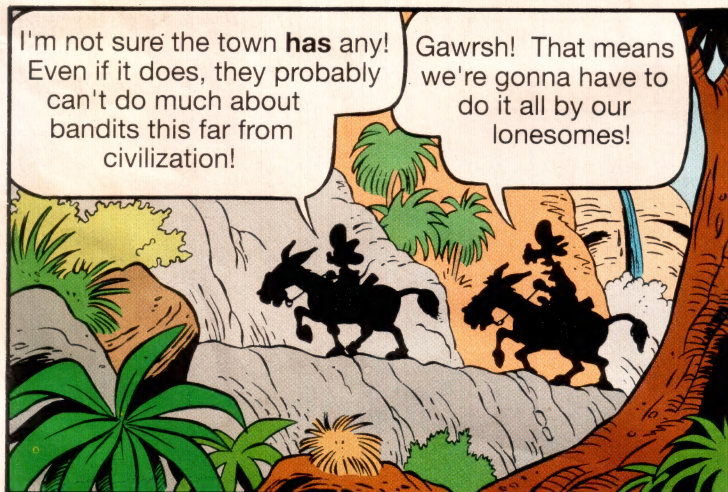
Did you recognise the skinny bandit, Goofy? He was the same guy we met coming into town! Now let's take the **right** path!

How come they don't want us to find Cousin Harry?



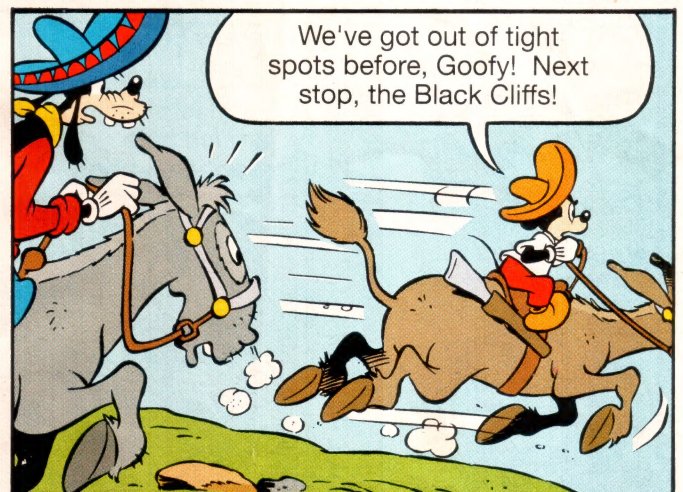
Maybe they don't want anybody finding out about his diamonds?

Shouldn't we tell the town police about it, Mickey?

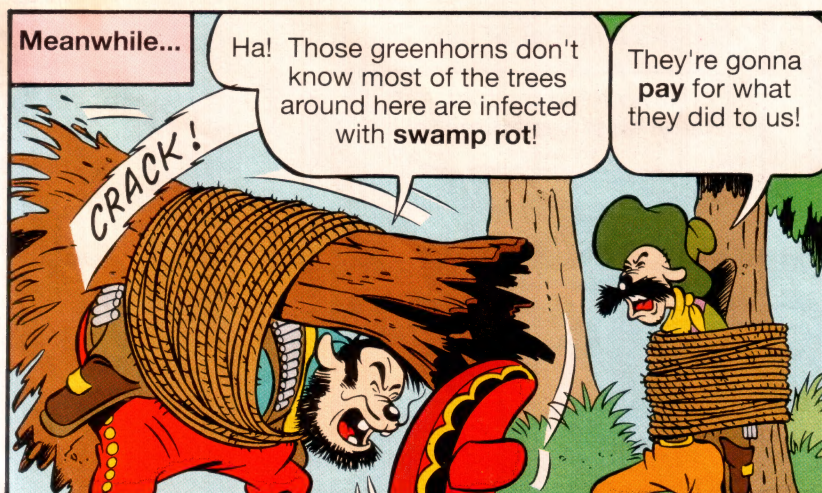


I'm not sure the town **has** any! Even if it does, they probably can't do much about bandits this far from civilization!

Gawrsh! That means we're gonna have to do it all by our lonesomes!



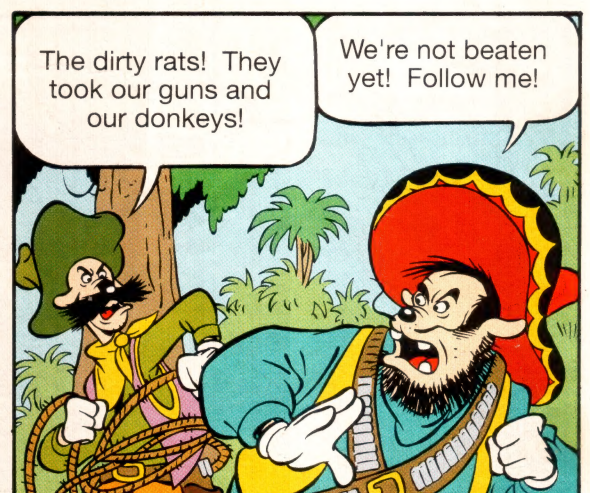
We've got out of tight spots before, Goofy! Next stop, the Black Cliffs!



Meanwhile...

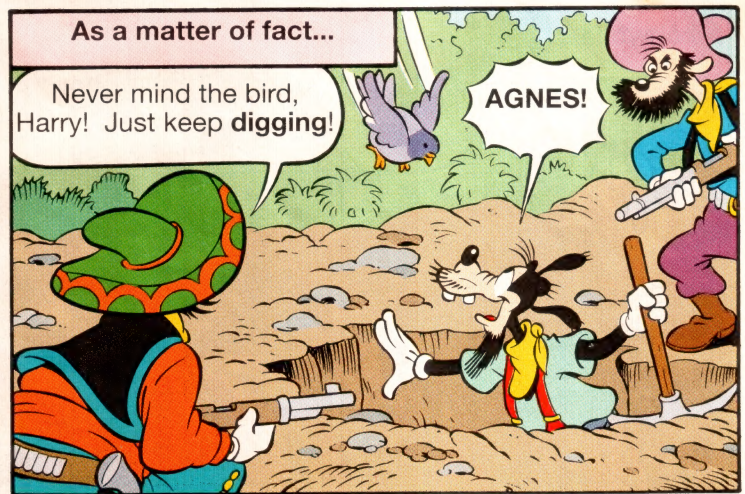
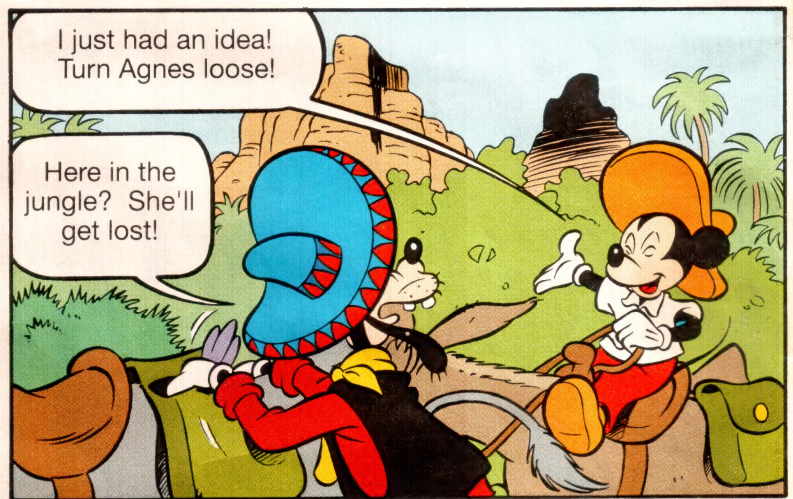
Ha! Those greenhorns don't know most of the trees around here are infected with **swamp rot**!

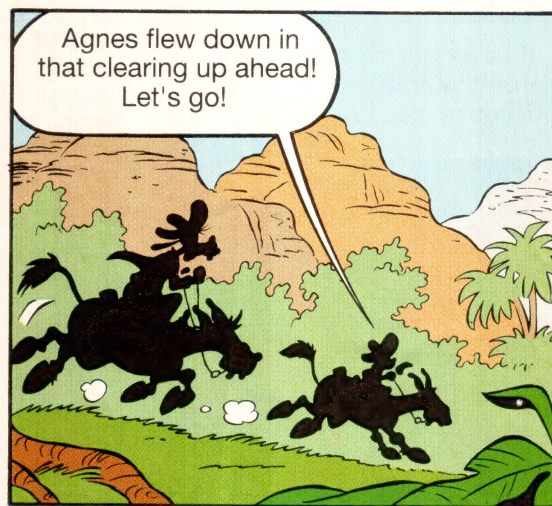
They're gonna **pay** for what they did to us!

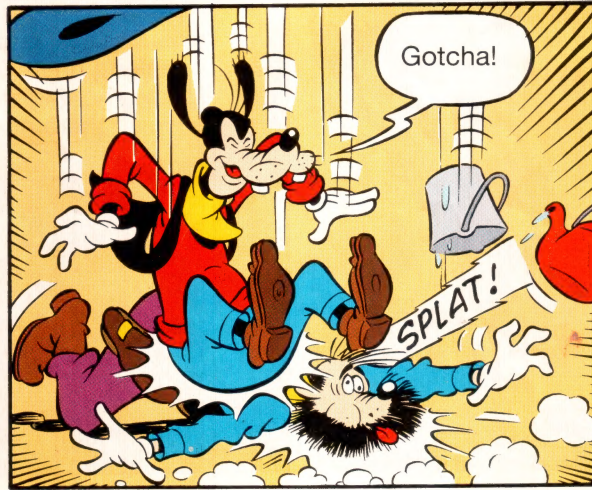
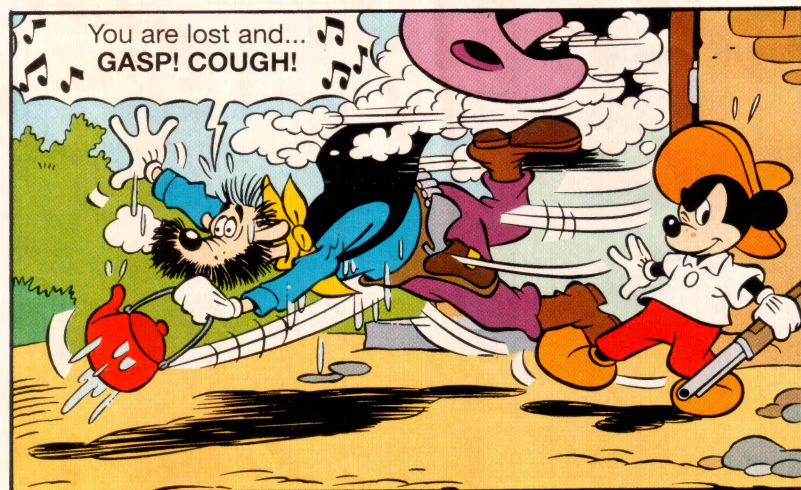
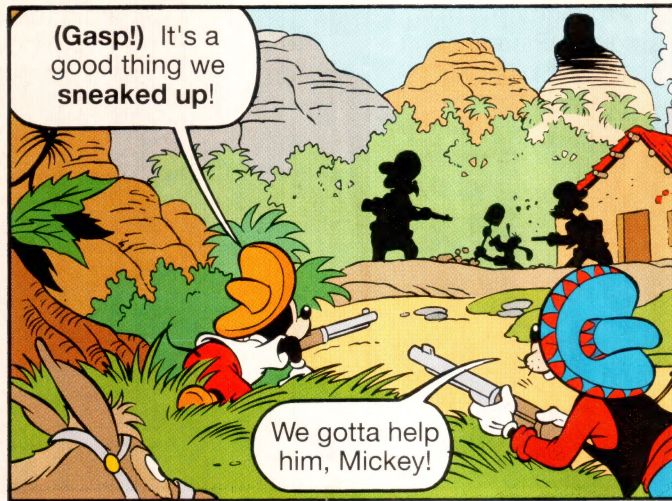


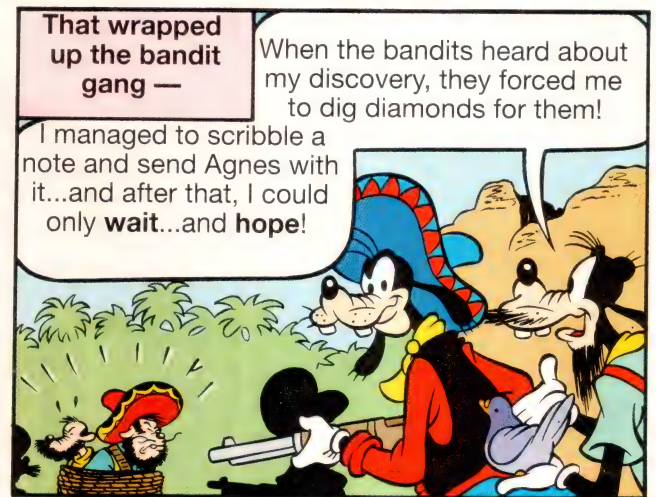
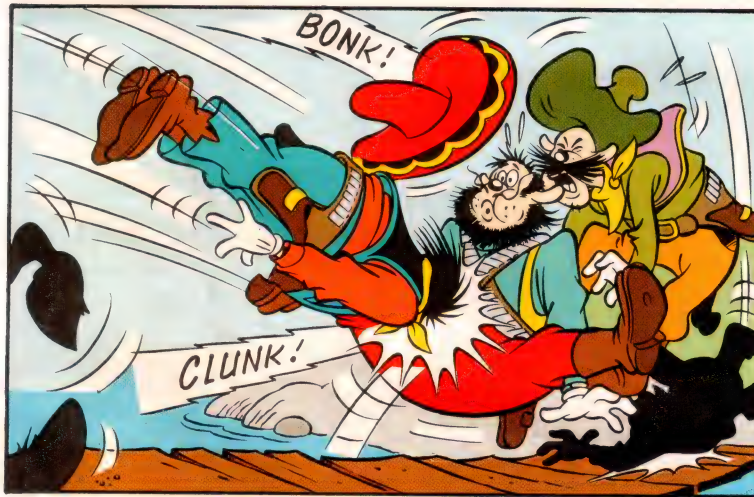
The dirty rats! They took our guns and our donkeys!

We're not beaten yet! Follow me!



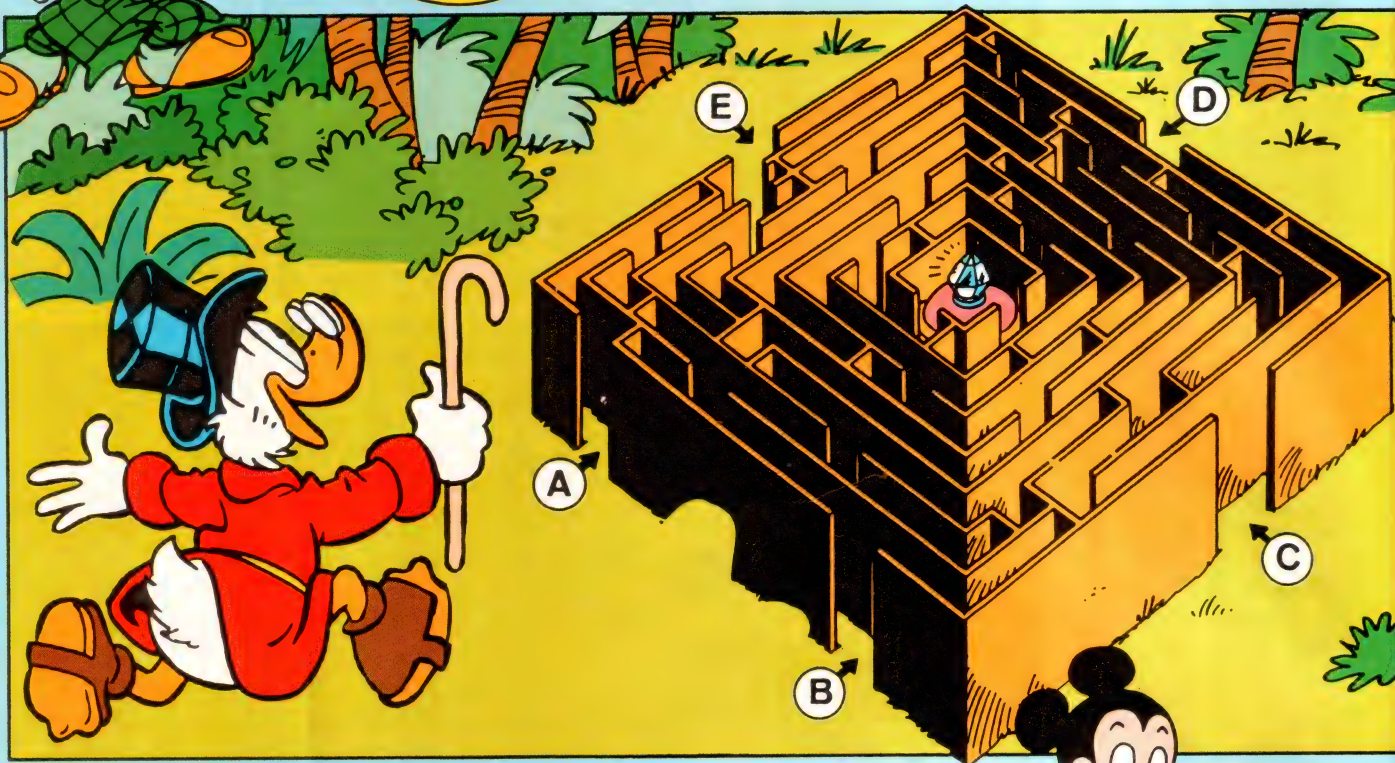








"It's mine! It's mine!" cried Uncle Scrooge as soon as he saw the famous, fabulous Kotzee-Ko tzee diamond in the middle of the maze. But first he's got to reach it! Can you help him find the way?



Now here's your chance to join Mickey in a trip around Europe! At the bottom is a list of 15 European cities, and all of them are buried in the wordsearch grid below. You can find them by reading forwards, backwards, diagonally or up and down the grid. See how quickly you can discover all fifteen!

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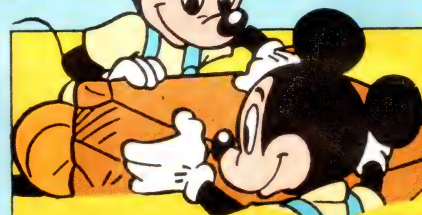
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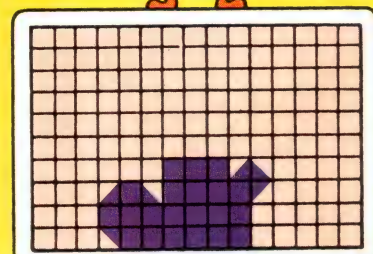
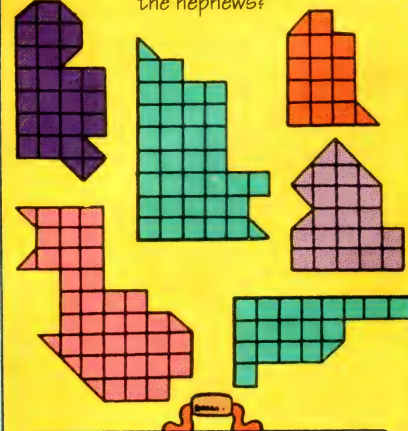
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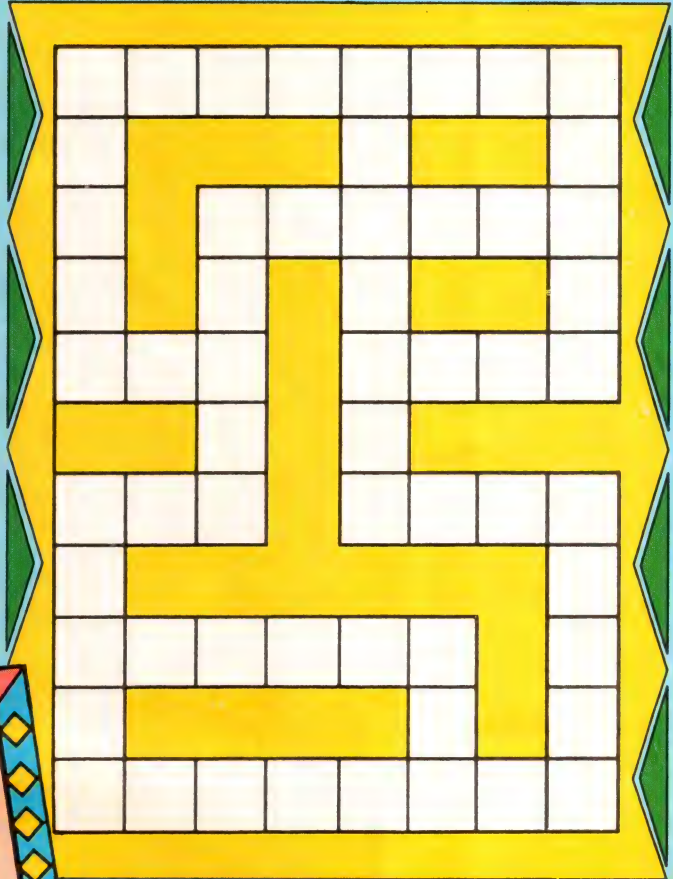
Here's a tough one for Morty and Ferdie! The six coloured pieces below fit exactly into their suitcase at the foot of the page without overlapping. But how? Can you show the nephews?



Look out, Scroogie! Here's someone else after that diamond! Join the dots from 1 to 64 to find out who it can be!



- 3 letters: Sir, ace, sun.
 4 letters: Snip, Alec.
 5 letters: Avert, proud, logic, lance, nails.
 6 letters: Lapdog, errors.
 7 letters: Orphans.
 8 letters: Tendered, national.
- On the left you'll see a list of 15 words which fit into the grid below. Put in one of the eight letter words first to give yourself a good start. Then you shouldn't have any problems!



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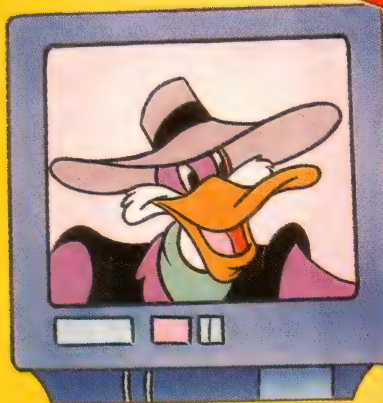
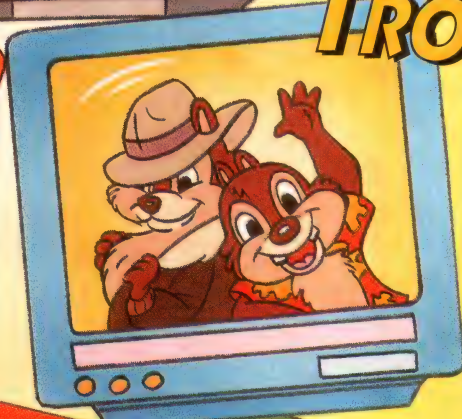
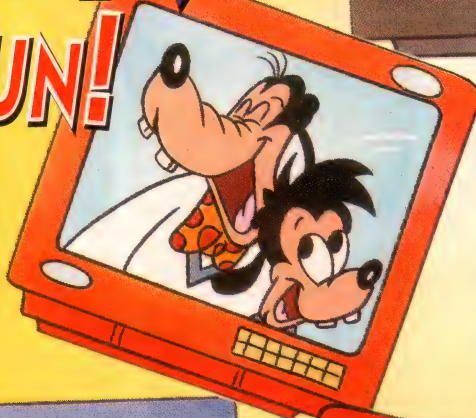
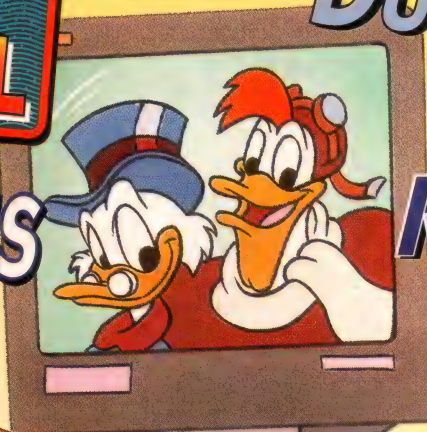
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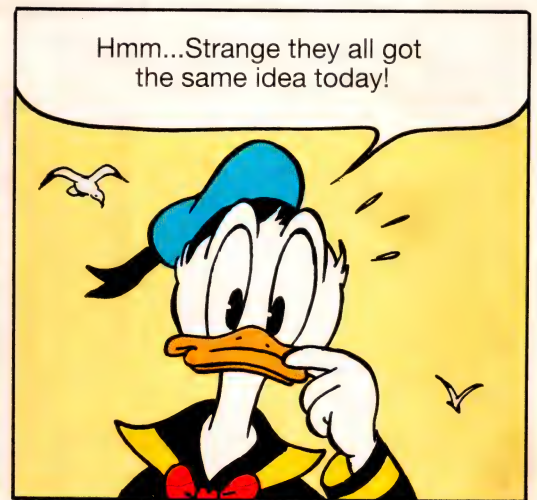
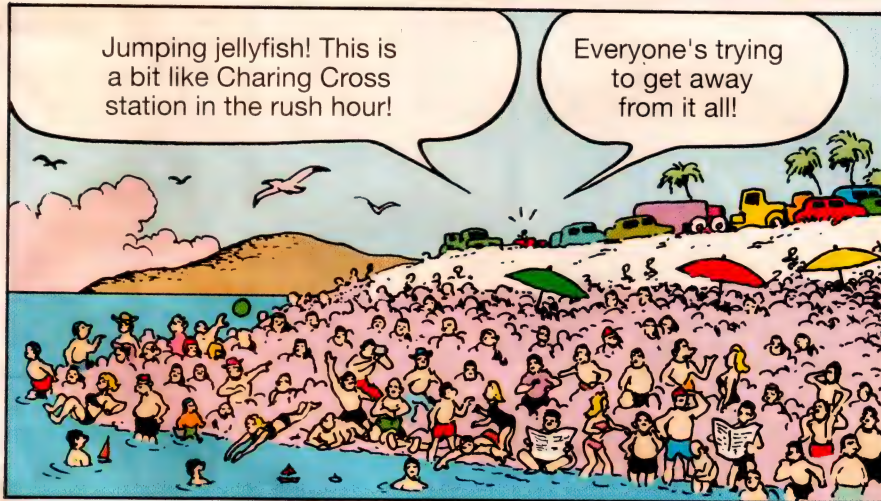
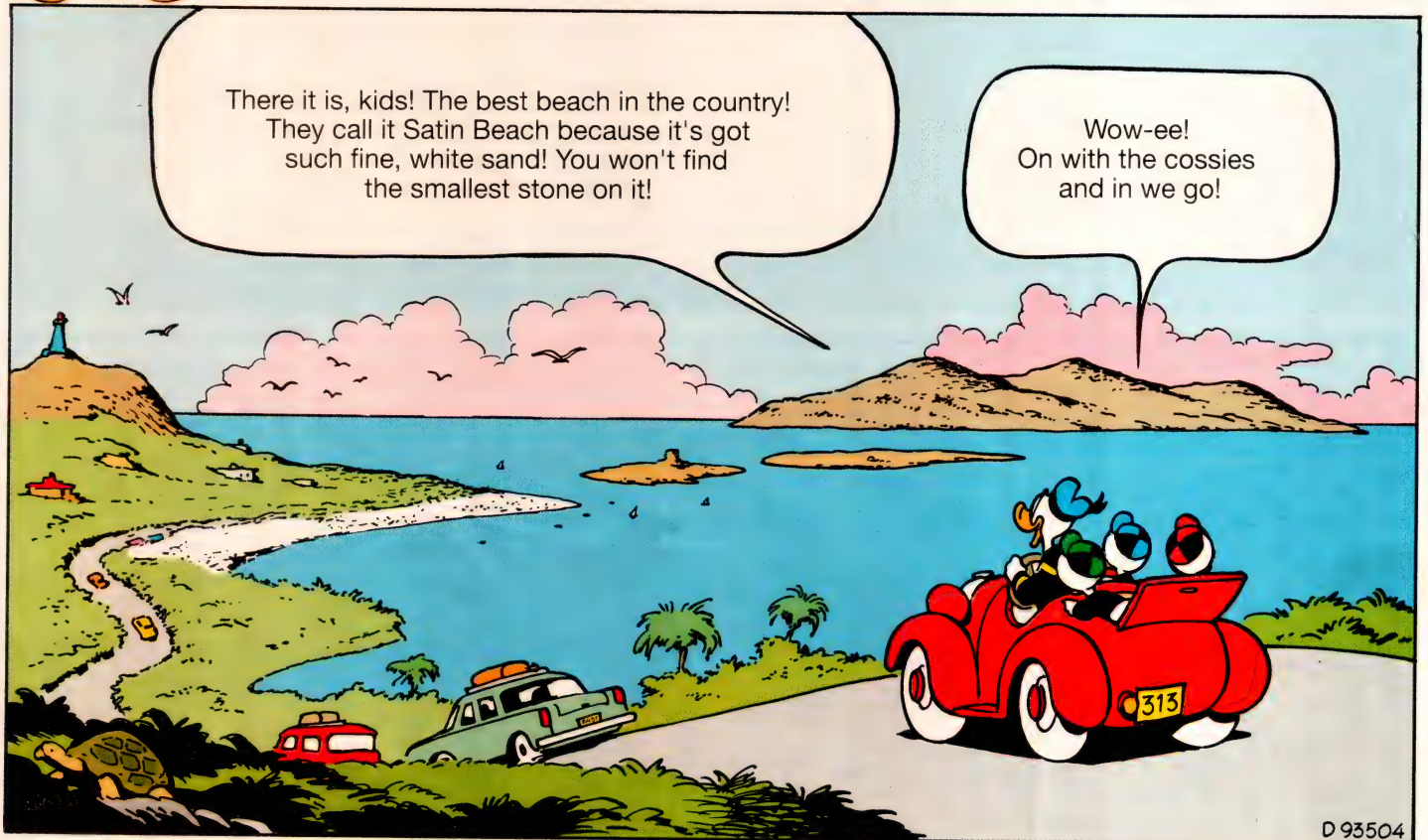
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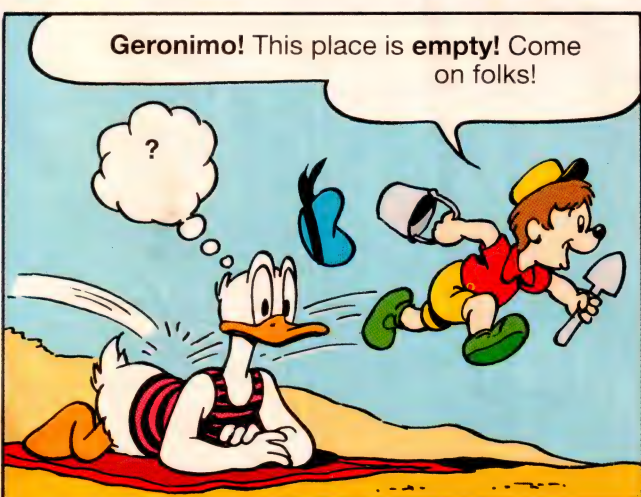
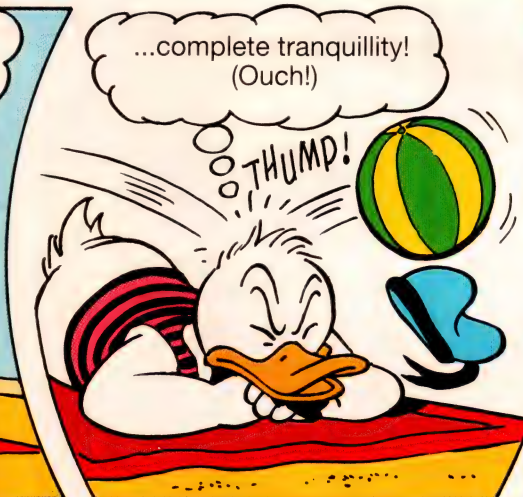
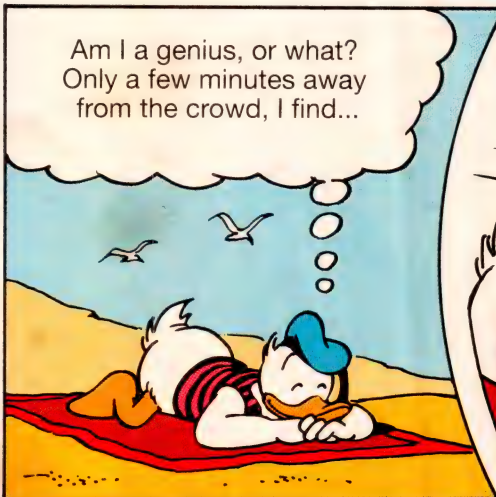
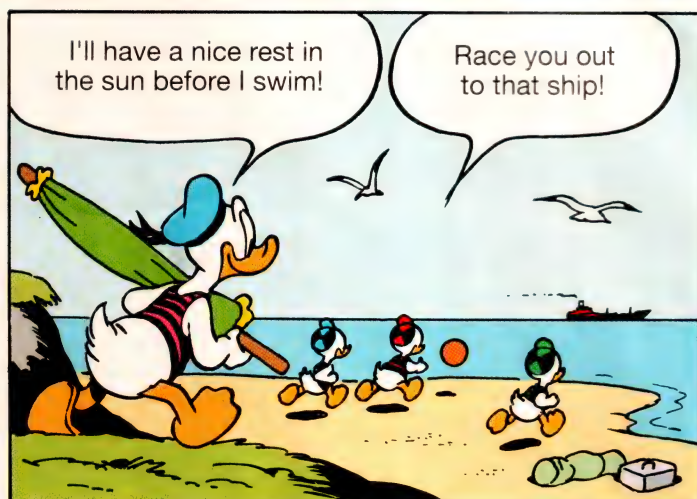
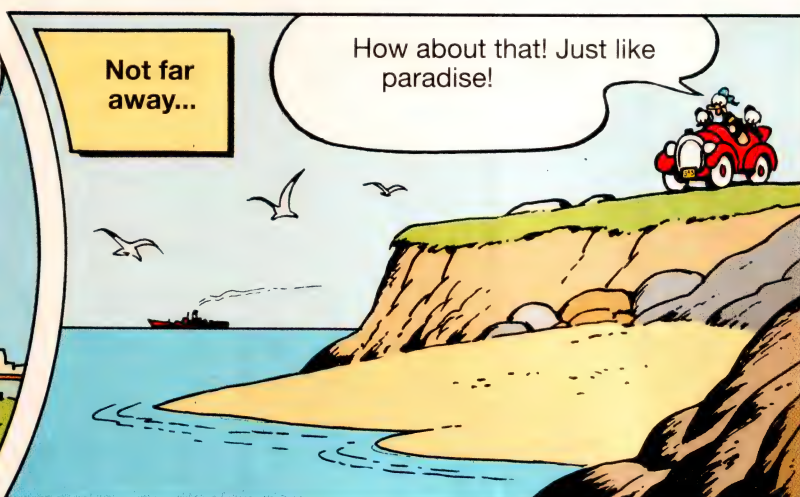
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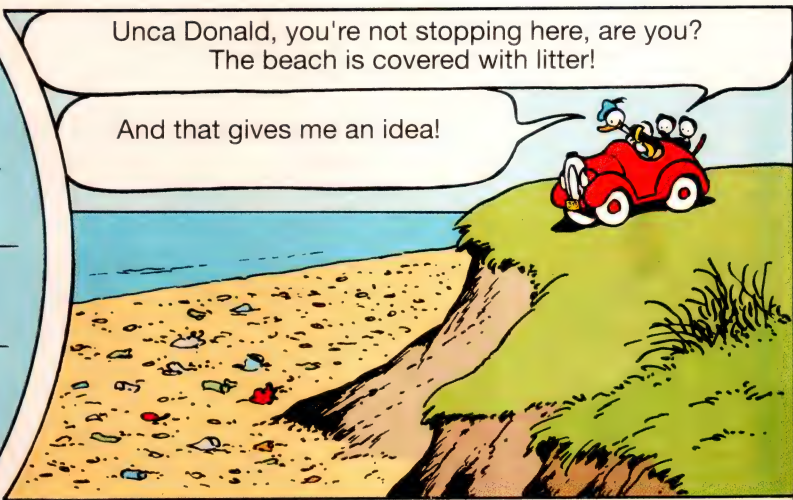
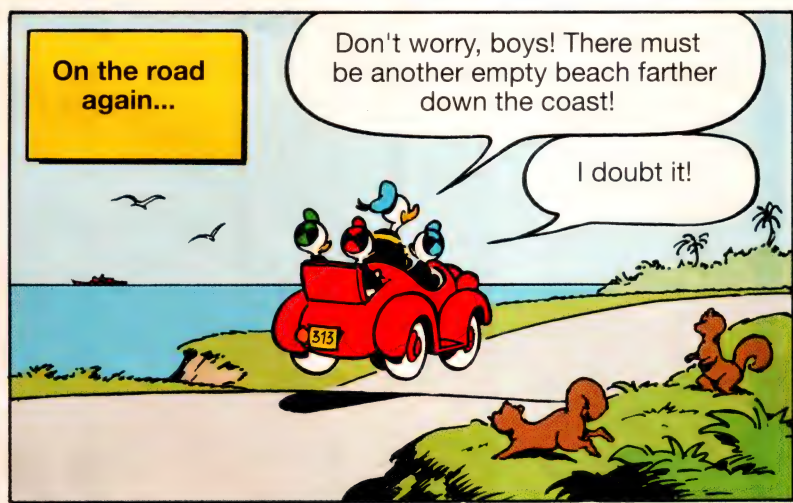
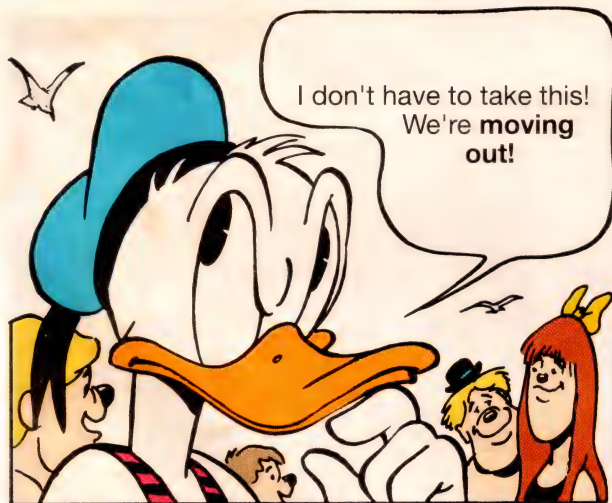
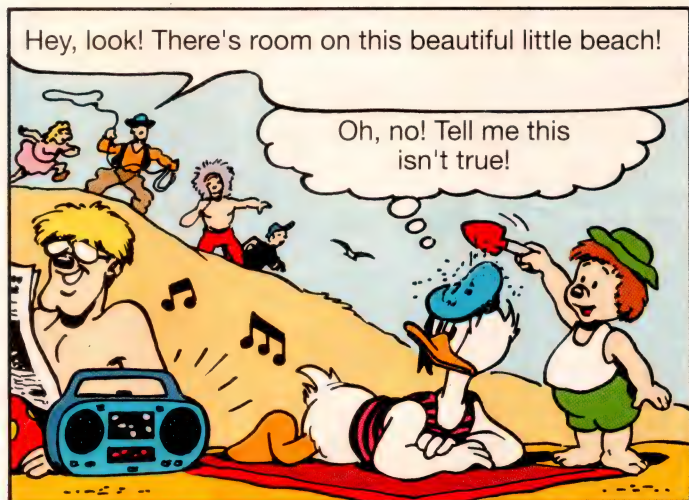
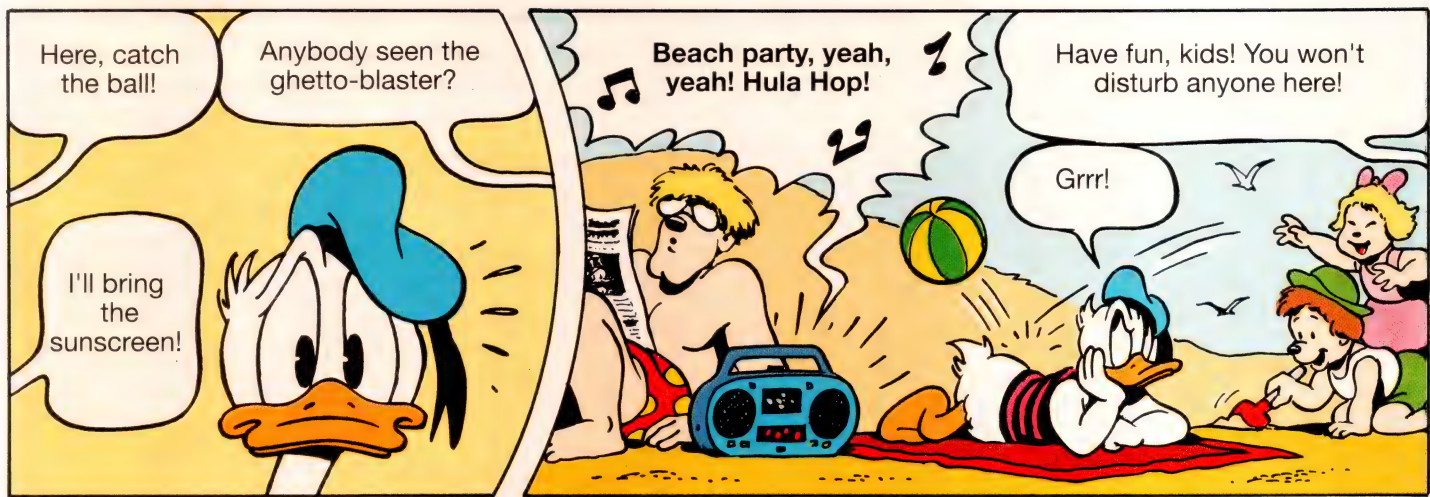


DONALD DUCK

The Crowded Holiday

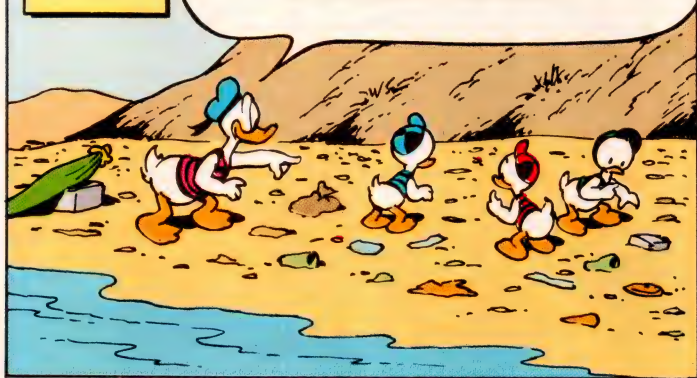




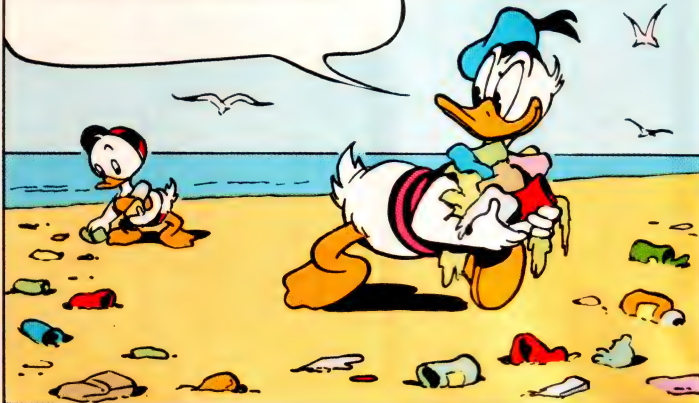


A little later...

We'll just clear a strip close to the water, then make a real mess of the rest of the beach!



That should scare off any intruders!
He-he! How clever I am!



How's about that, kids!
You must admit you've got a cunning uncle!



You really think so, Unca Donald?

Look! A clean spot next to the waterfront!
Can you see it, everyone?



Watch out, Duck!
We've got to get the boat ashore!

Who's got the food?
I'm starving!

Uack!



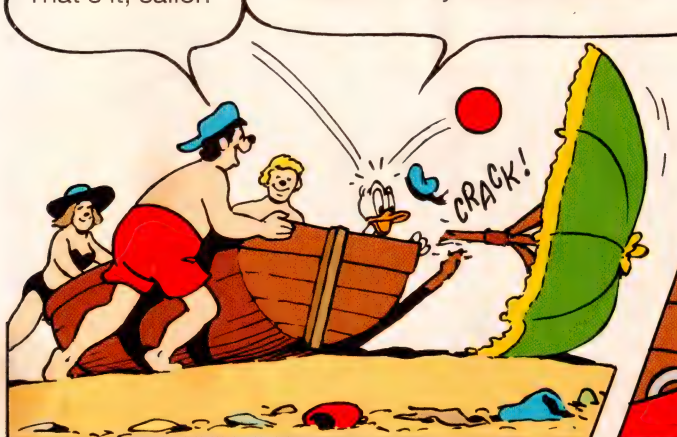
Hey, Duck! Give us a hand, will you? The boat's kinda heavy!

But I...



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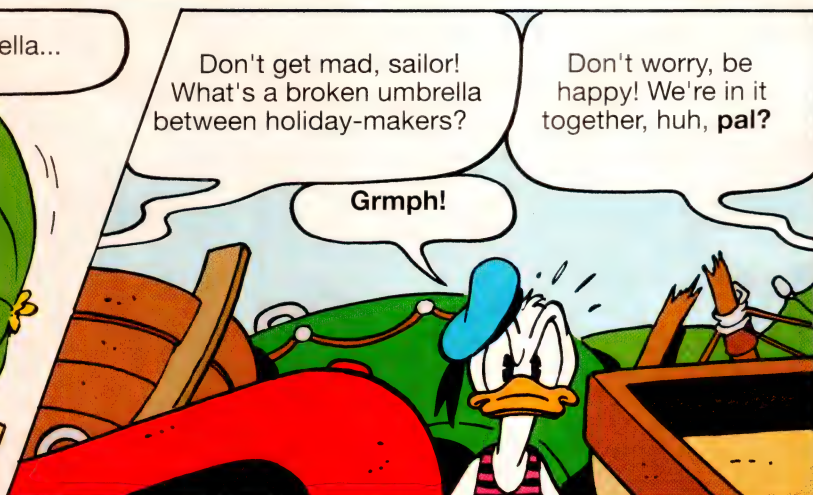
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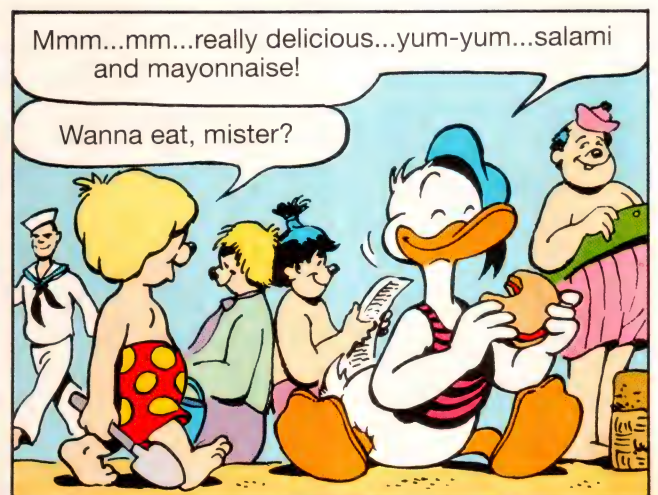
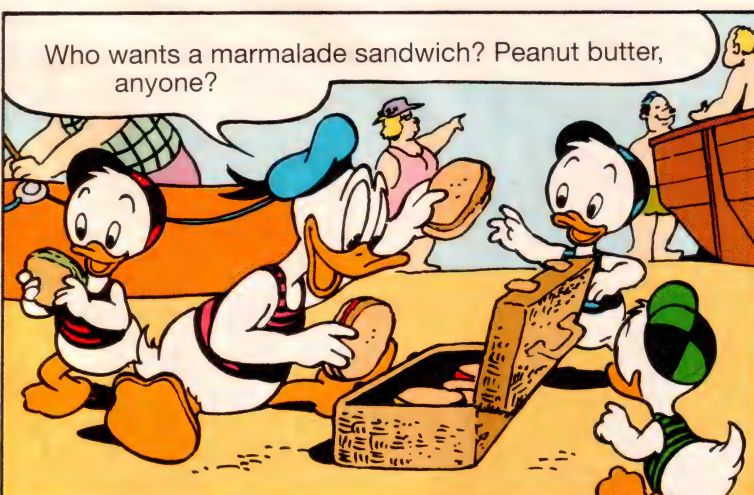
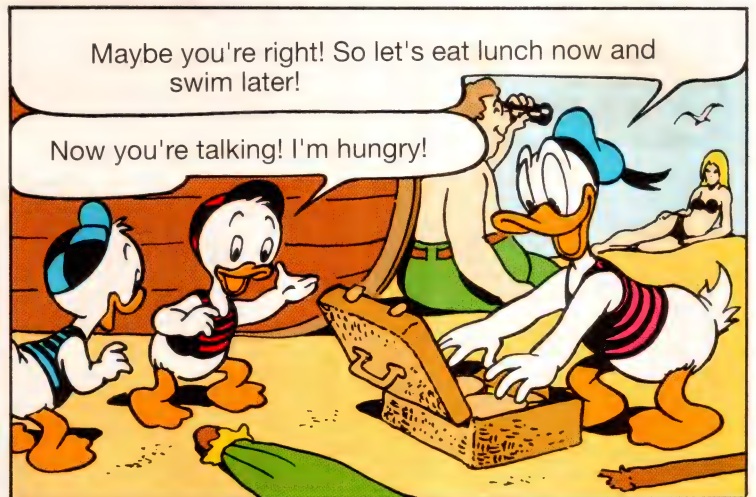
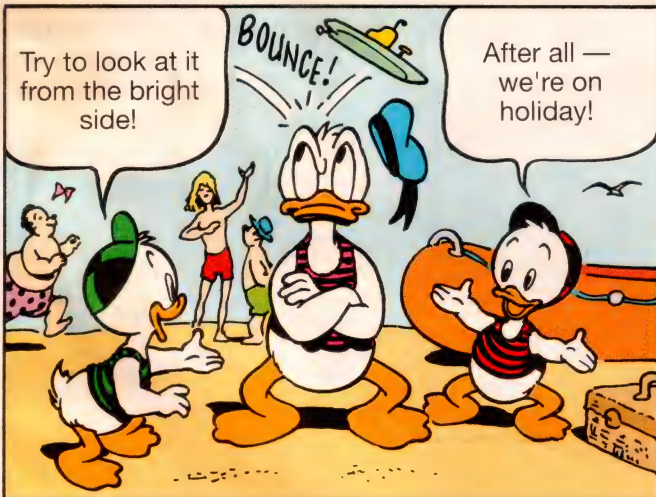
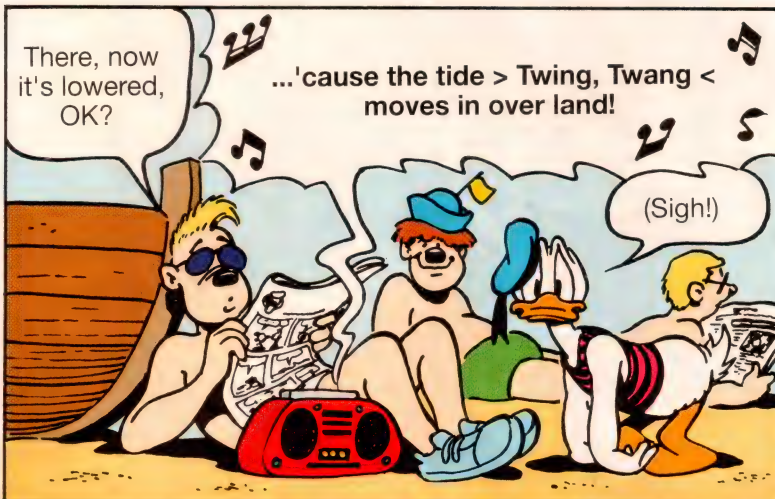
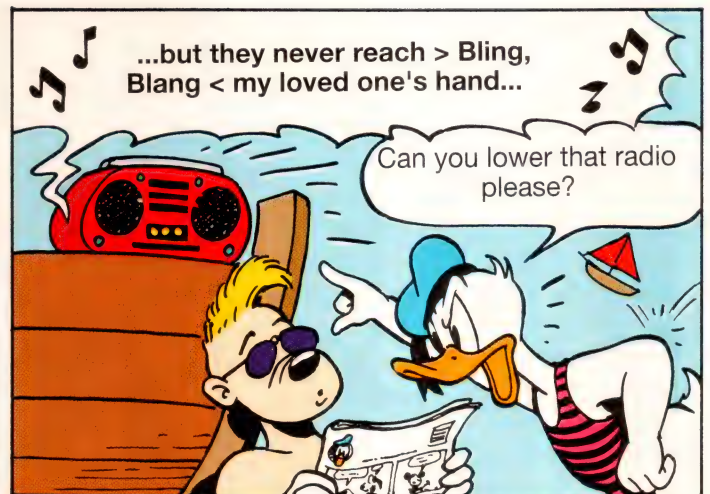
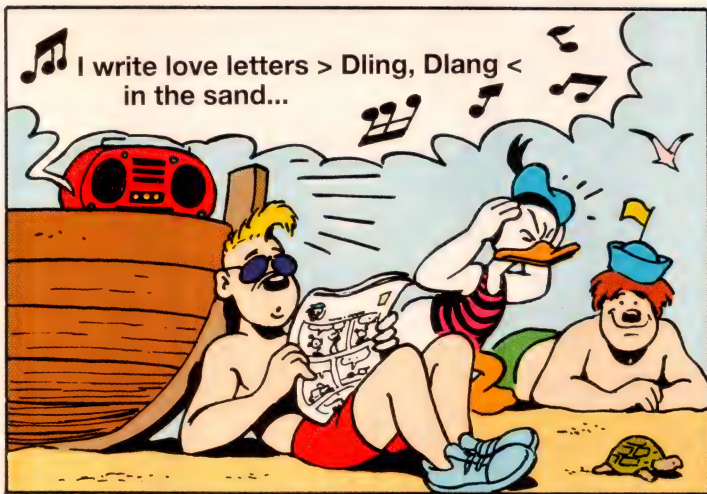


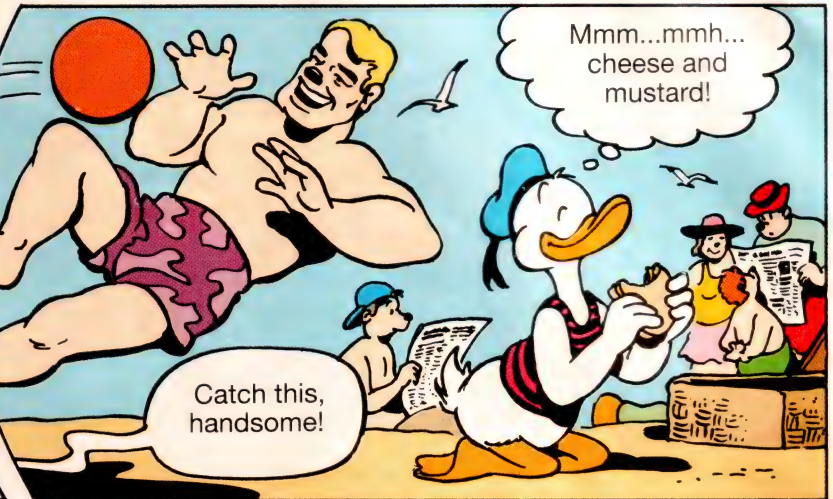
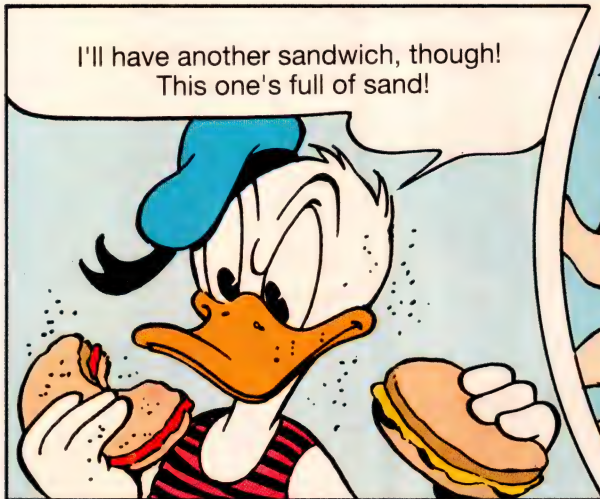
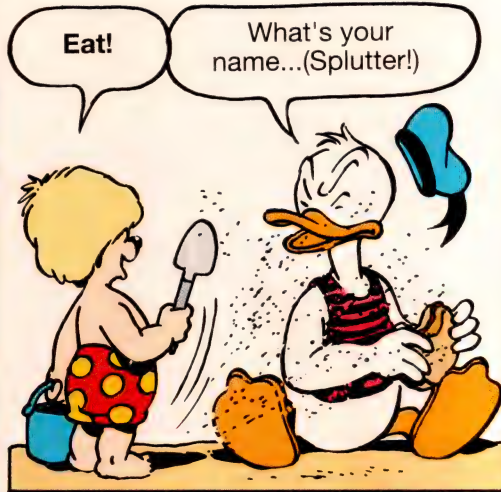
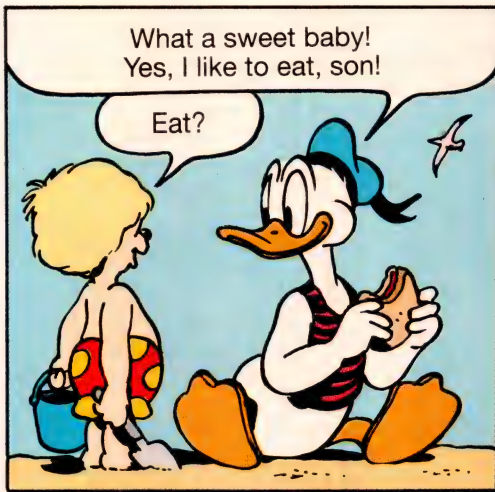
Don't get mad, sailor!
What's a broken umbrella between holiday-makers?

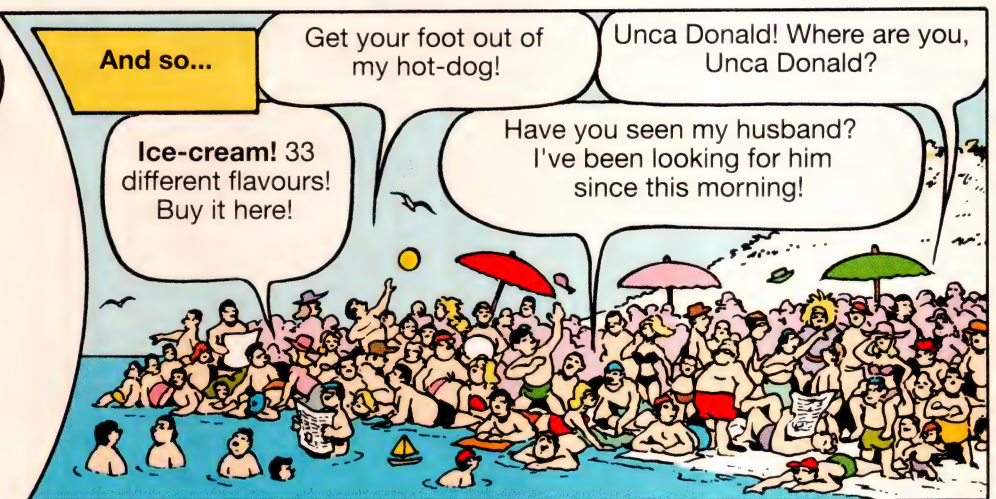
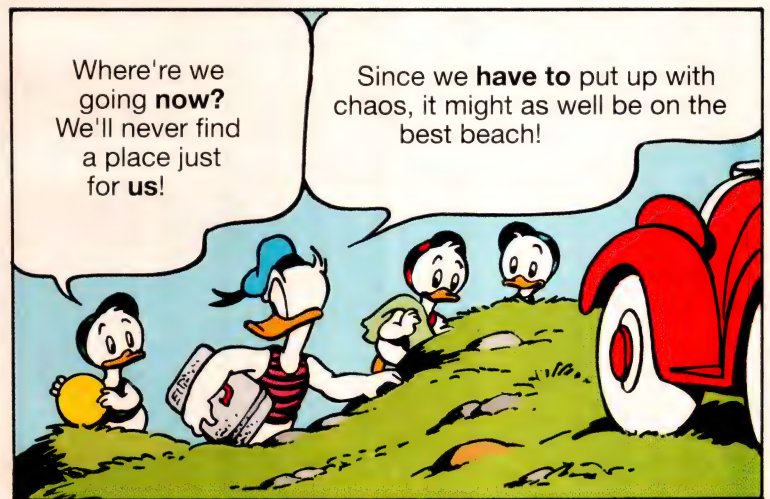
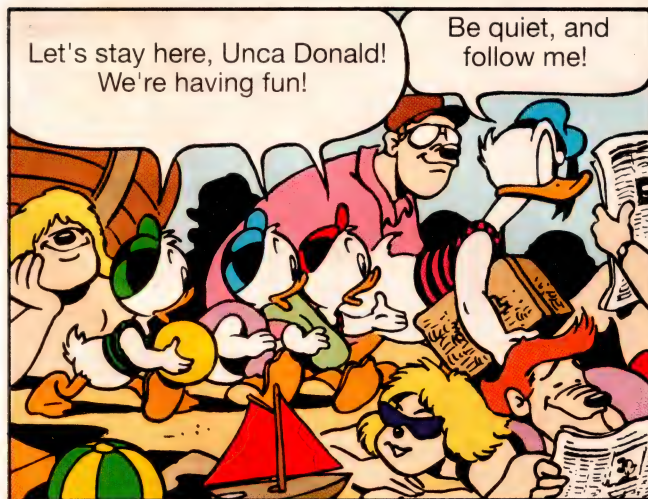
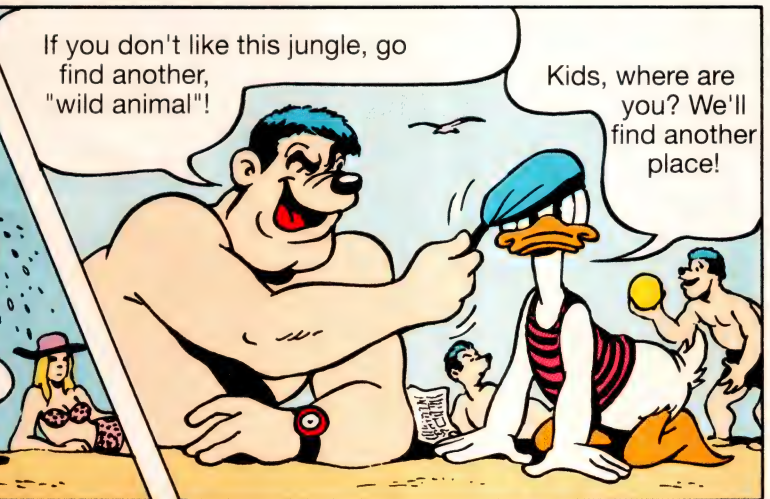
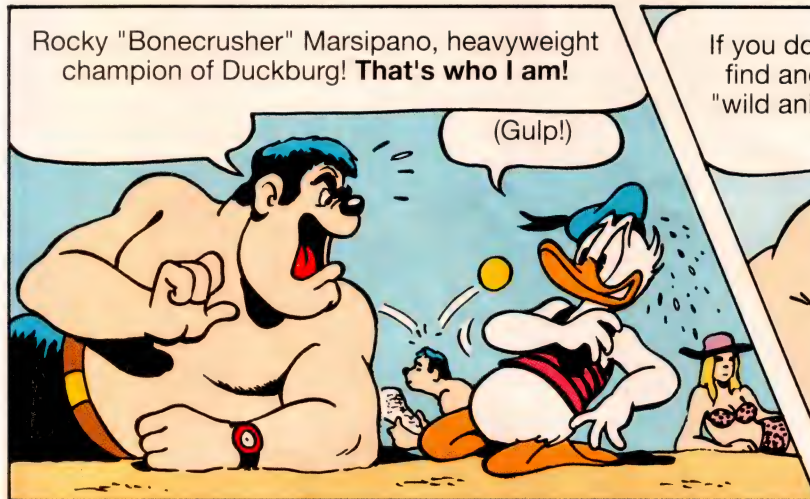
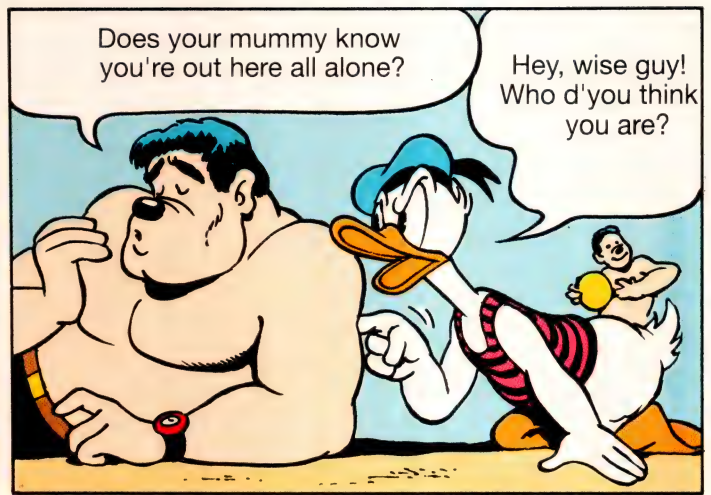
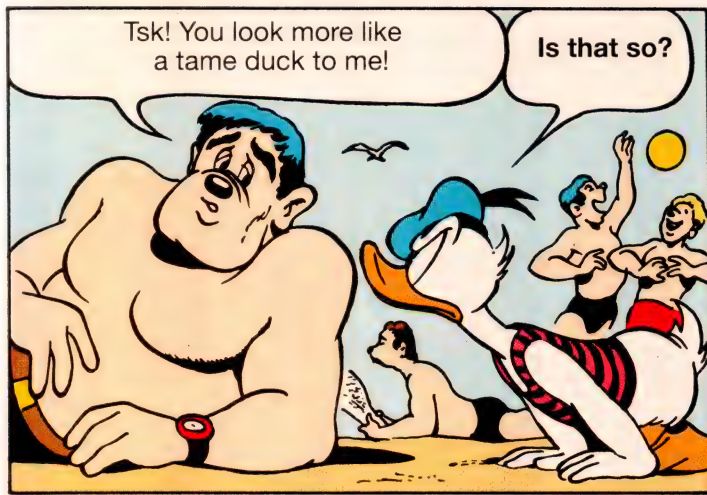
Don't worry, be happy! We're in it together, huh, pal?

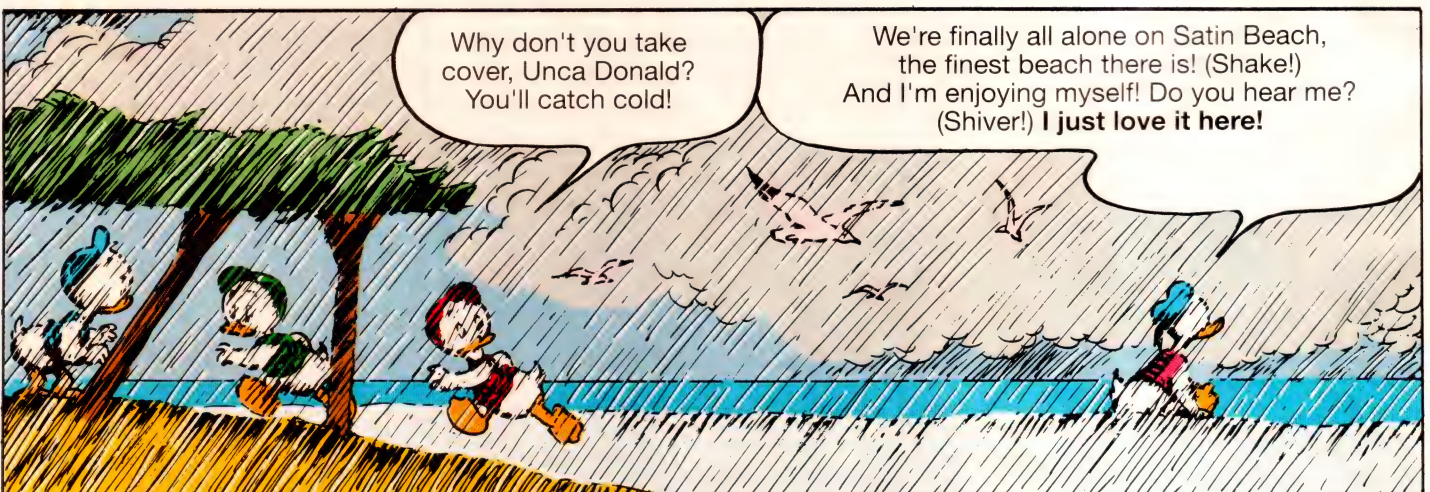
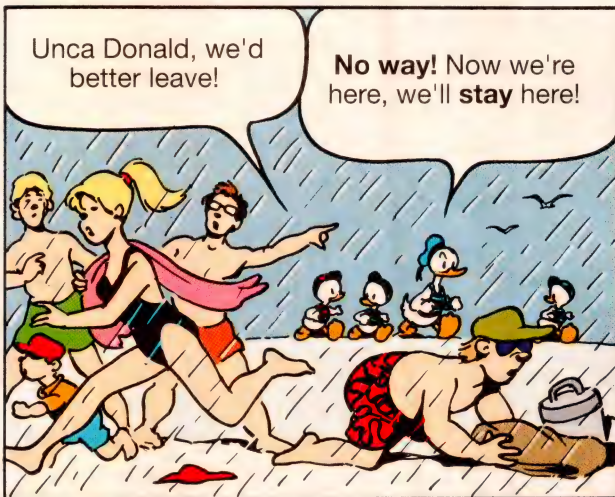
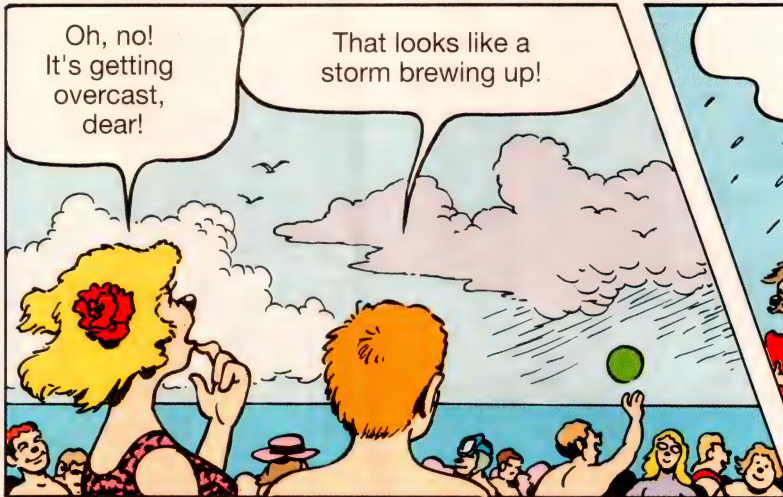
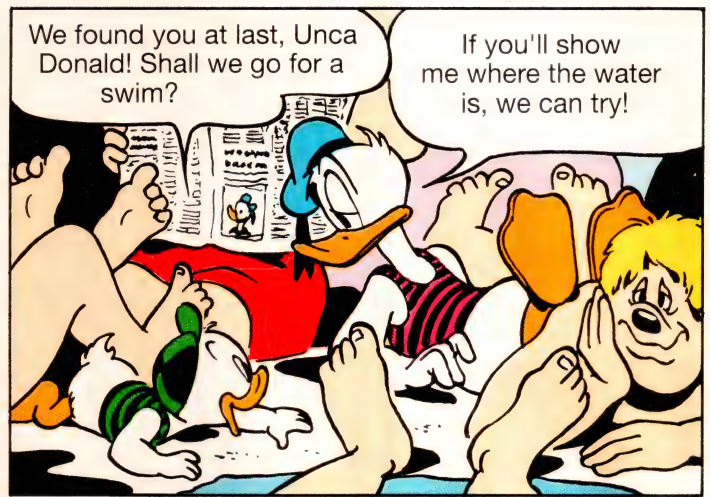
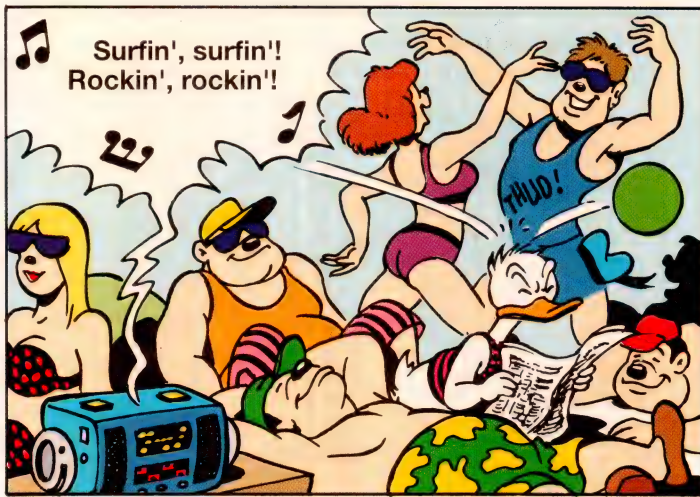
Grmph!











JUST JOKING

HA HA SNIGGER TEE HEE CHORTLE HO HO GIGGLE

STAR JOKE

This week's star joke comes from **Matthew Cook** in Bedfordshire.

Q: Why did the scientist put a ruler under his pillow?

A: To see how long he slept!

Q: Where do bees dry their clothes?

A: In a bumble dryer!

Maria Rasmussen, Perthshire.

Q: What cups can't you drink out of?

A: Butter-cups!

Stephanie Leogh-Colisch, Whinchcombe.

Q: "Why didn't you try water-skiing on holiday?"

A: "Because I couldn't find a lake with a slope!"

Craig Breen, Chelmsford.

Q: Which is the quietest sport?

A: Bowling - because you can hear a pin drop!

Paul Thomas, Basildon.

Q: Why is tennis such a noisy game?

A: Because every player raises a racket!

Leanne Riggs, Cheshire.

Q: What can you serve, but never eat?

A: A tennis ball!

Keith Bailey, Liverpool.

Q: Why should a golfer always wear two pairs of trousers?

A: In case he gets a hole in one!

Samantha Cole, Sheffield.

Q: Why do people who string tennis rackets have to be brave?

A: Because it takes guts!

Penny Shore, Wiltshire.

Q: What kind of ants are ten metres tall?

A: Gi-ants!

Joleen Burke, Glasgow.

Q: Why was Cinderella kicked out of the soccer team?

A: Because she kept running away from the ball!

Lee Walsh, Braintree.

Q: What did one angel say to the other?

A: Halo there!

David Findlay, Scotland.

Q: Why is Europe like a frying pan?

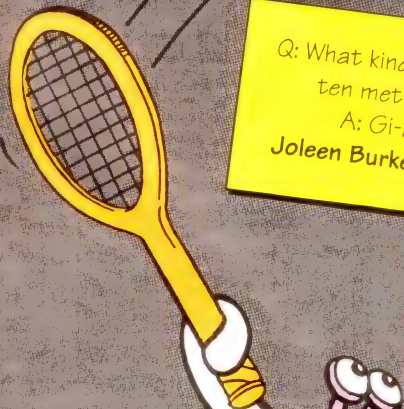
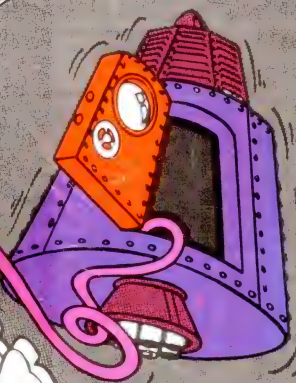
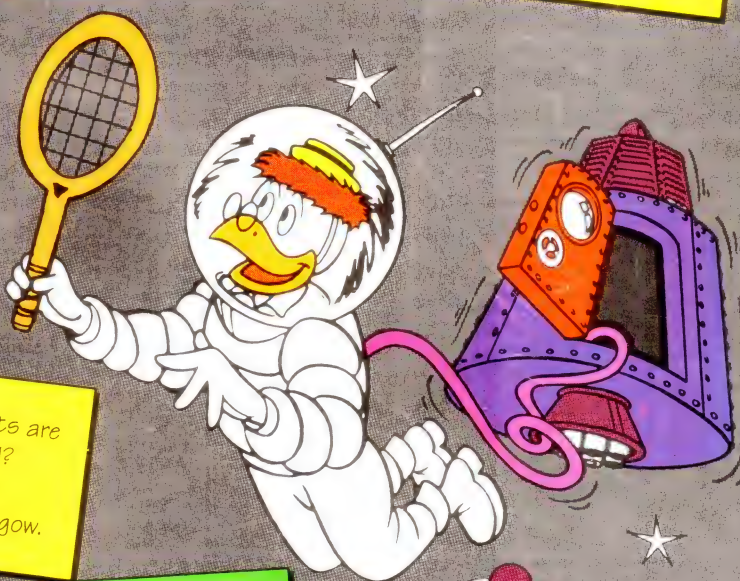
A: Because it has Greece at the bottom!

Lora Smith, Oxon.

It's the year of the game - so says MB! To celebrate, over the next 6 months we're giving you the chance to win one of 6 of MB Games' classics - **Go For Broke**, **Twister**, **Operation**, **Ker-plunk**, **Connect 4** and **Splat!**

The game you can win this week, and for the next two weeks, is the fantastic **Twister** - the game that ties you up in knots! The spinner tells you to put your right hand on a red circle. Quick! Everyone scrambles to obey. Watch out - a knee on the ground and you're out!

To try and win, send in your favourite jokes to: Just Joking, Mickey's Mail, PO Box 61, London, WC1H 9SG.



IT'S AMAZING BUT IT'S TRUE!

Two pages about our weird world!

Strange stories about the odd things people do...



Has anyone seen the winning post?

Horatio Bottomley, a wealthy early twentieth century English crook, once thought he'd make a betting fortune by buying six horses and entering them all in the same race. He instructed the jockeys to pass the winning post in a certain order, on which he had staked a huge bet. But Bottomley lost. Half-way through the race a thick fog descended on the course. The jockeys lost sight of each other - and passed the post in random order!

Your dog says you're guilty!

In central Europe during the Middle Ages a knight accused of a serious crime could call three witnesses before the court - his cat, his dog and his cockerel. The knight then took an oath swearing his innocence. If during the oath all three creatures remained silent, the court had to direct that this was the will of God and find the knight not guilty. But if they purred, barked, or crowed, he was judged guilty!



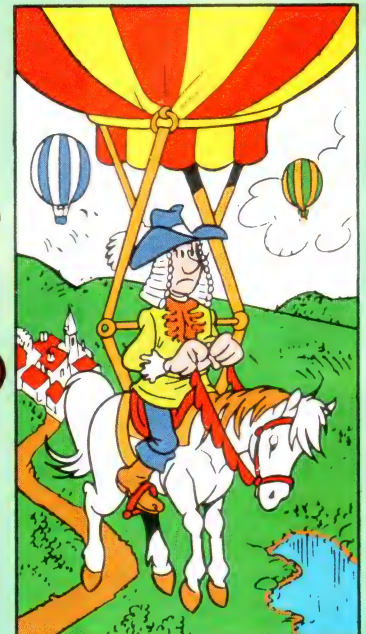
Go by air ...

In the year 1900 a Swiss woodman was picked up by a mountain avalanche and hurled half a mile through the air. He landed in thick snow, dazed but otherwise unhurt!



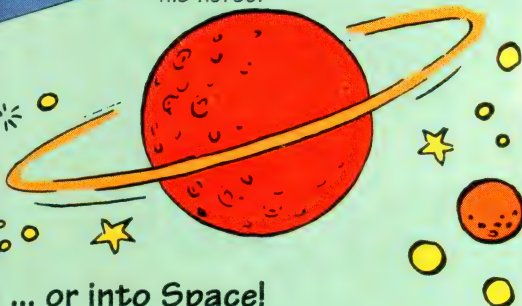
... or by horse ...

Thomas Green, an English hot air balloon pioneer, once rode below a balloon while mounted on his horse!



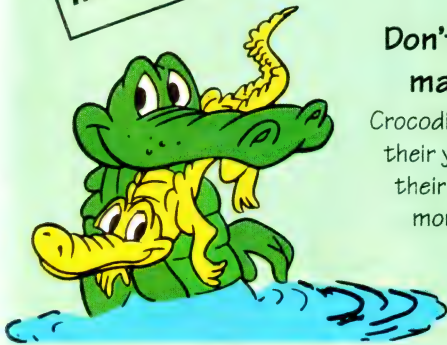
... or into Space!

Saturn, the "ringed" planet of our solar system, is 887 million miles from the sun. It is lighter than water and is the least dense of all the planets. Not advisable as a place for next year's holiday!





Mickey's Wildlife World

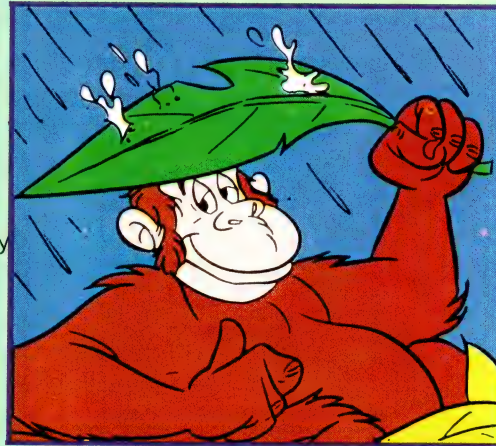


Don't bite,
mama!

Crocodiles carry
their young in
their spikey
mouths!

Let it rain!

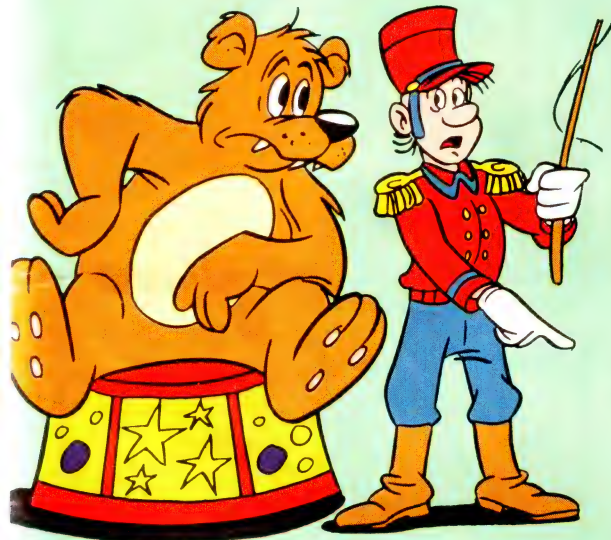
Gorillas pick large leaves and use
them as umbrellas!



Now hear this!

An ape's roar can be heard a distance of
5 kilometers in the jungle!

WHY?



Why doesn't Bruin
the bear perform in
the circus?

Animal trainers find that the
hardest of all animals to train
is the bear. While all wild
animals can always cause
problems in the circus ring,
bears are the hardest to
understand - their stoney-
faced expressions betray
nothing. A good trainer can
usually predict the next move
of a lion or a tiger, and some
can almost read the thoughts
of the jungle cats. But none
can tell for certain whether a
bear will suddenly attack - and
inflict a lethal bite!



Why don't spiders see their
victims very well?

Spiders have several pairs of eyes, but they're all
short-sighted! They have four pairs of legs, all with
seven joints and ending with tiny claws. Hundreds
of "spinning-spools" in the spider's abdomen
produce the silk for its web - the spider can adjust
the thickness of the silk as it spins. All spiders are
posionous, but, except for a few tropical ones, their
bite doesn't harm humans.

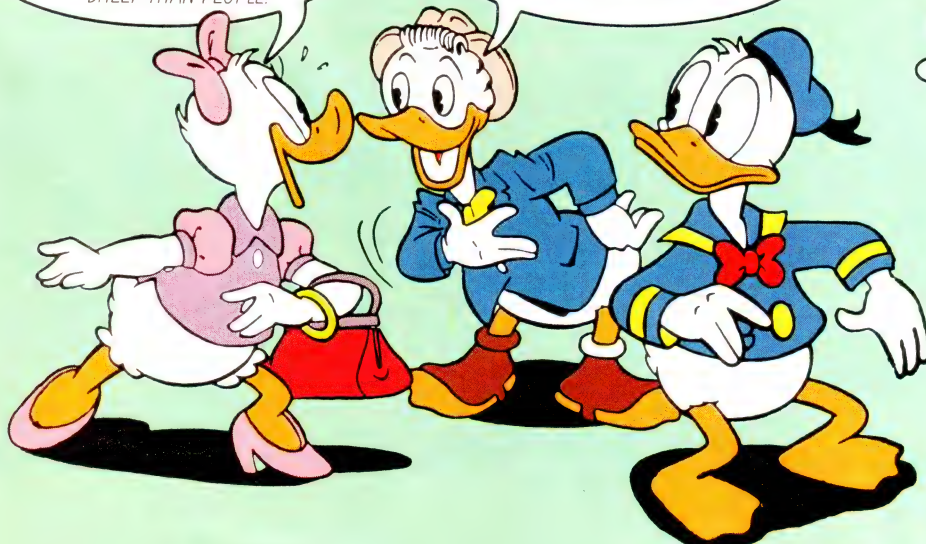
WHO'S FIBBING?

Three story-tellers - but only two of them are telling the truth.
Who's fibbing - Daisy, Gladstone or Donald?

IN NEW ZEALAND
THERE ARE 20 TIMES MORE
SHEEP THAN PEOPLE!

BABIES CAN BREATHE AND
SWALLOW AT THE SAME TIME!

THE PANAMA
CANAL JOINS THE
MEDITERRANEAN WITH
THE RED SEA!

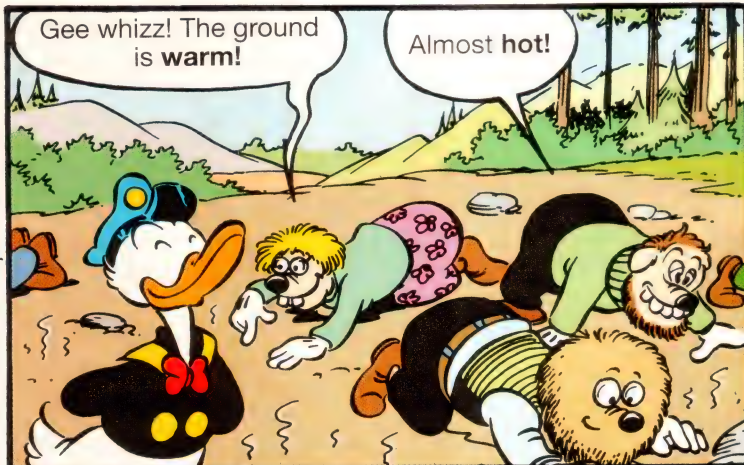
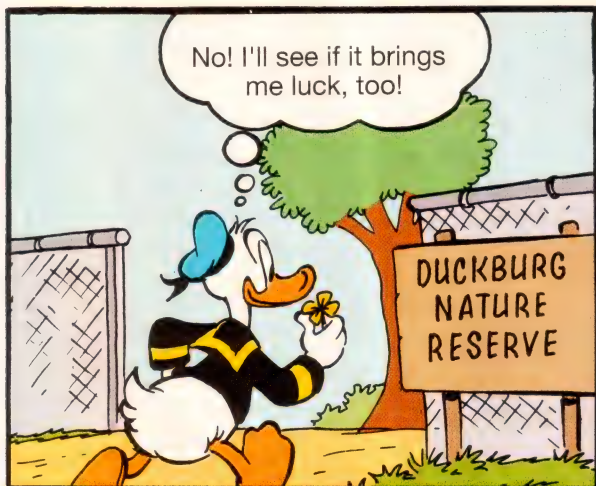


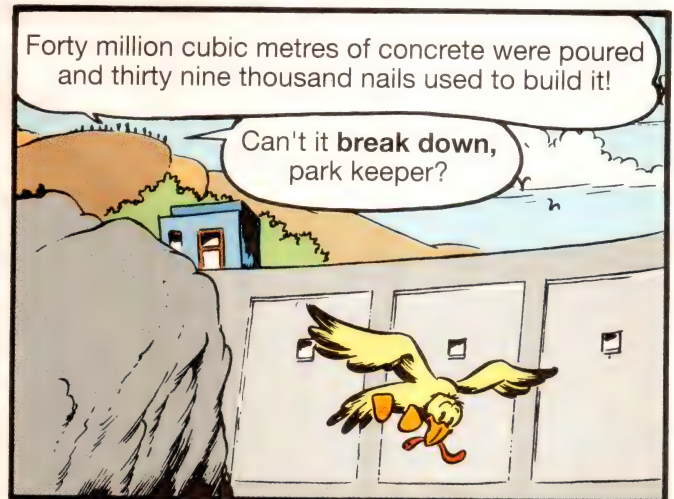
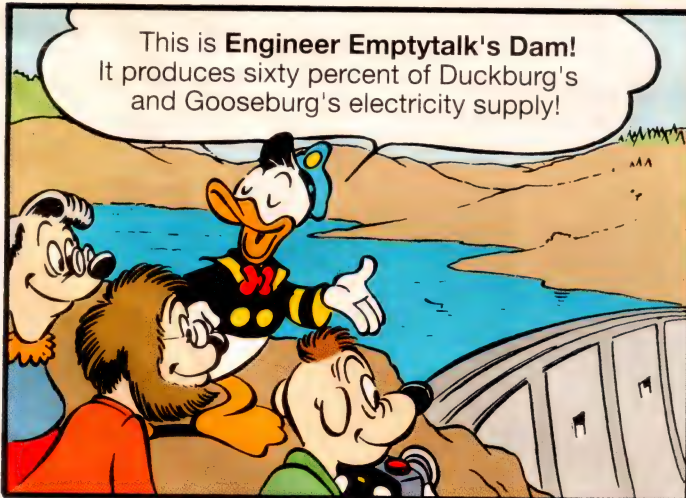
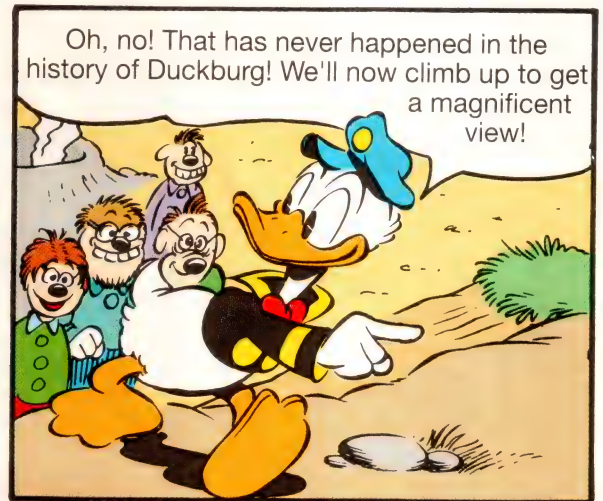
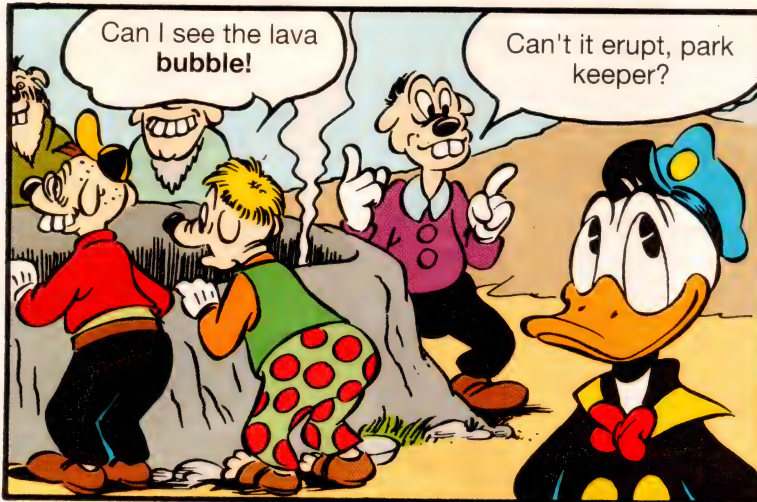
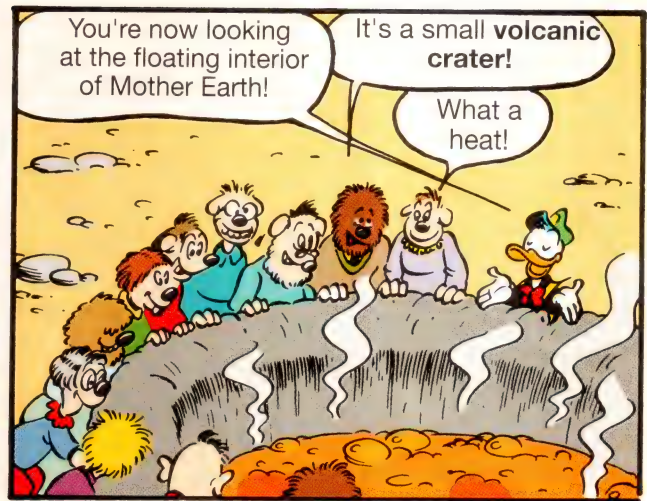
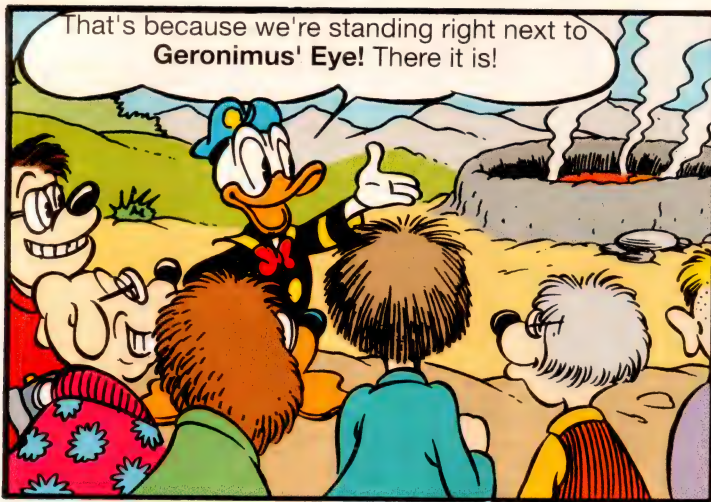
Answer to "Who's
fibbing?" Donald is!
The Suez Canal joins
the Mediterranean
with the Red Sea. The
Panama Canal joins
the Atlantic Ocean
with the Pacific
Ocean.

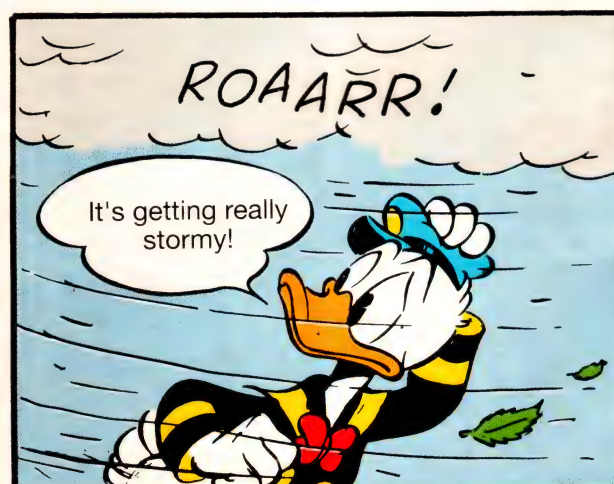
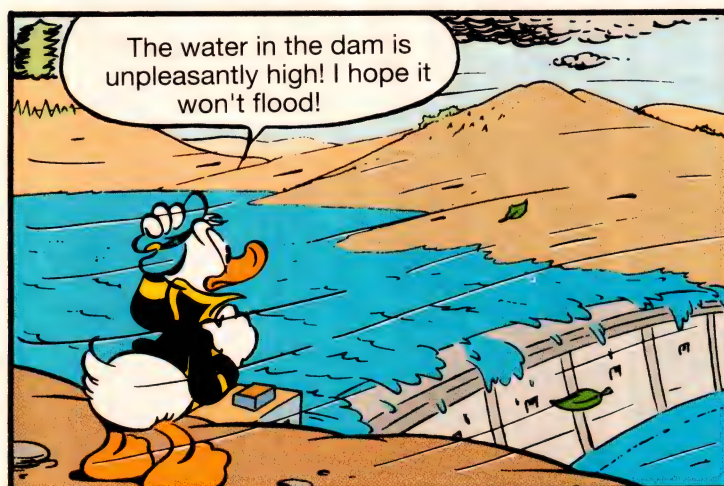
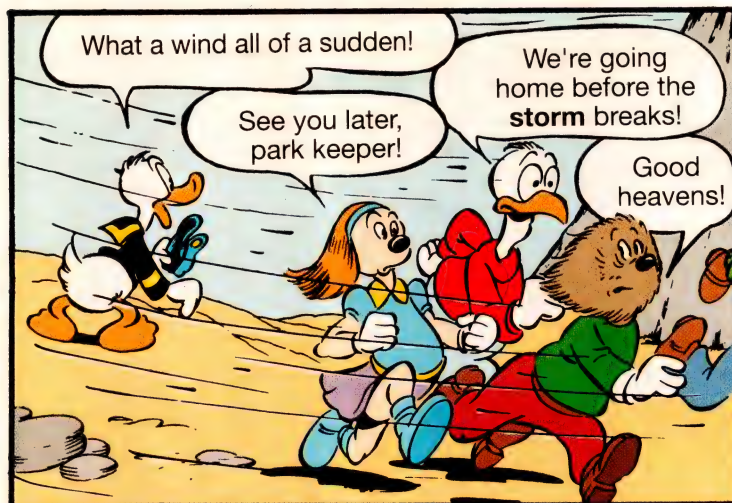
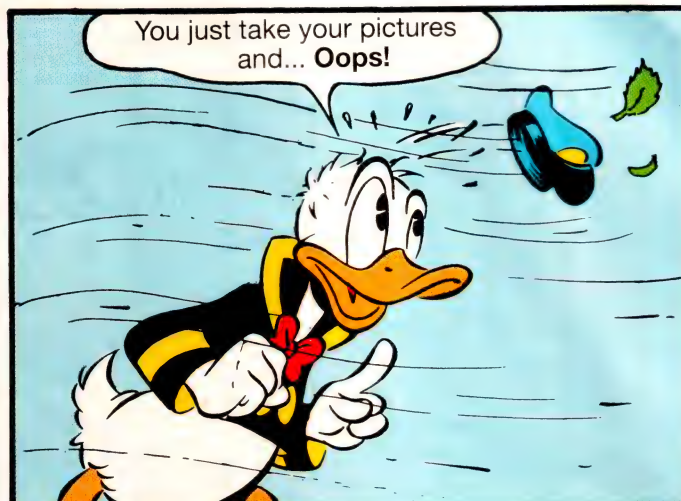
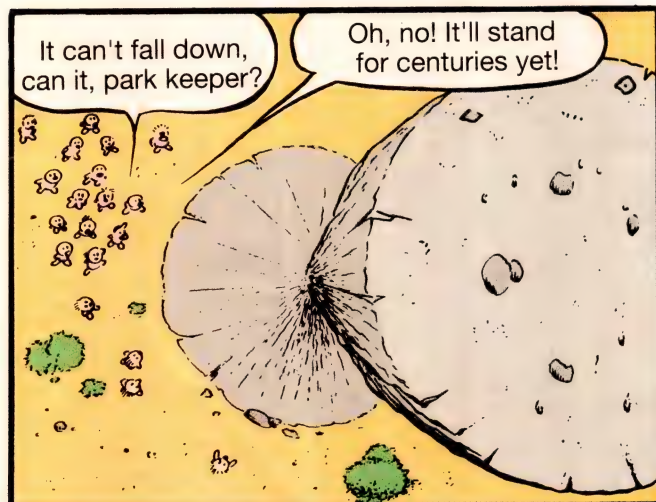
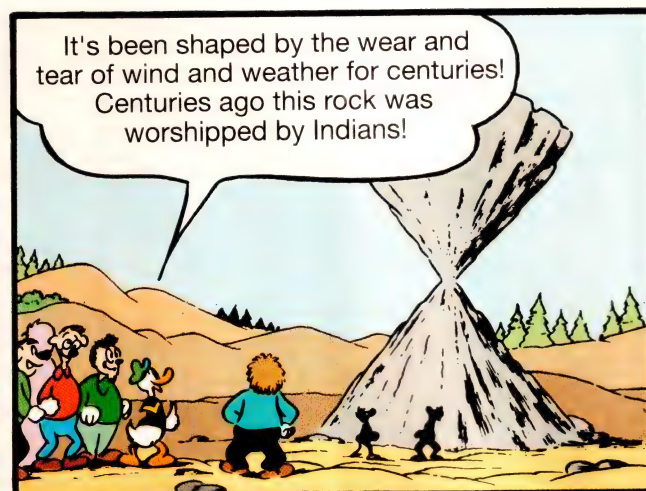
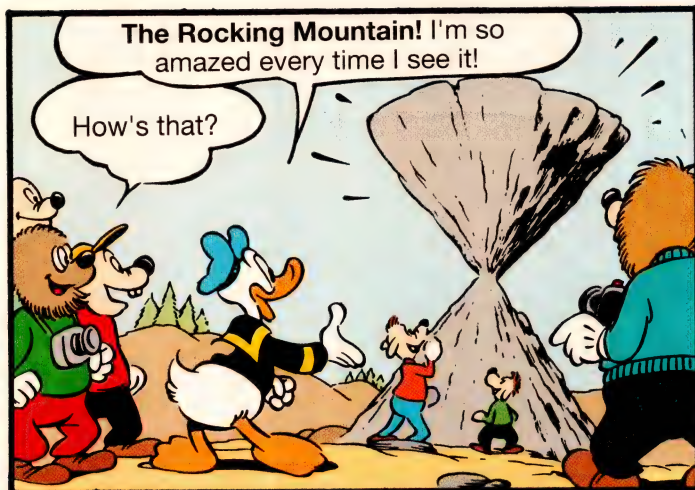


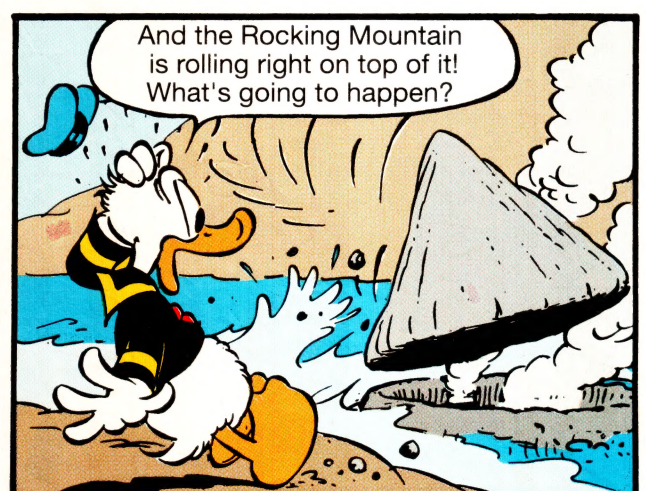
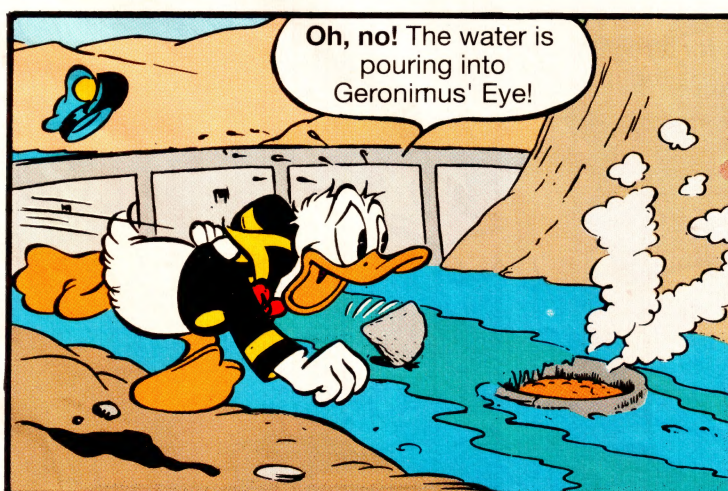
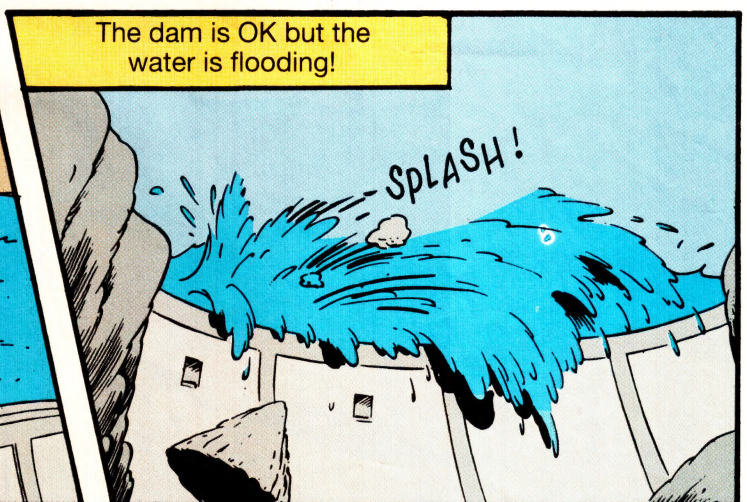
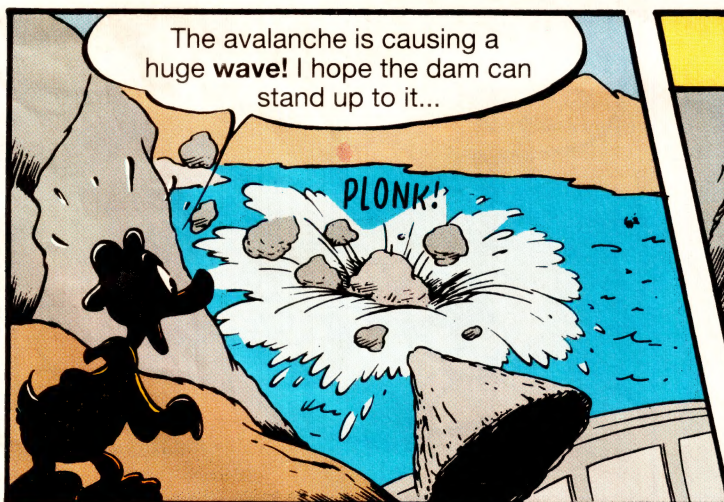
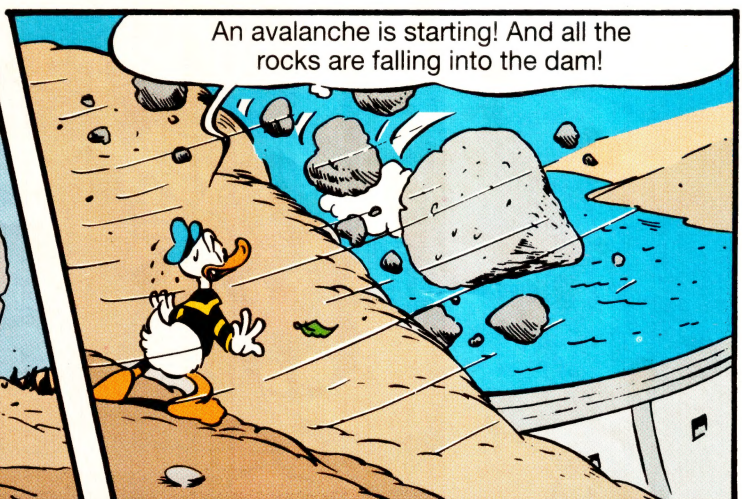
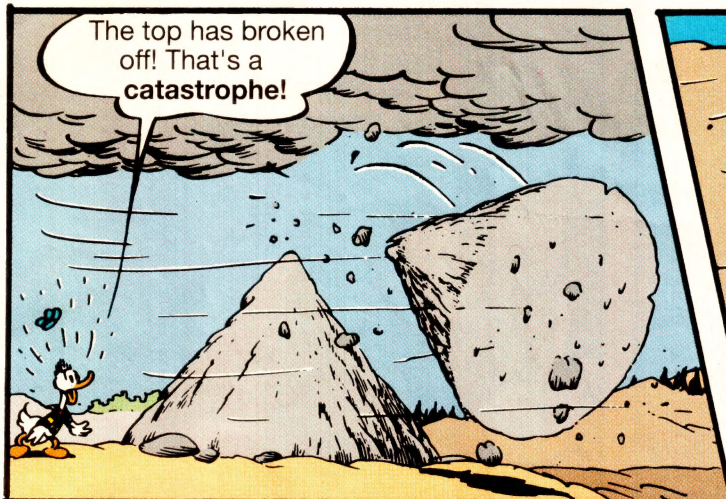
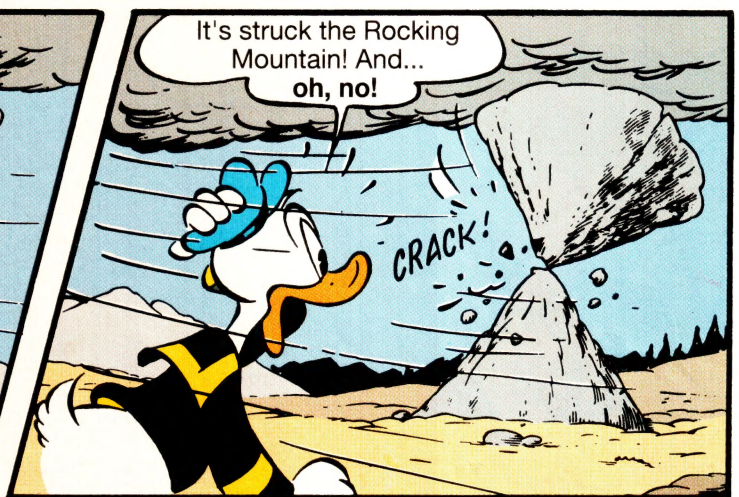
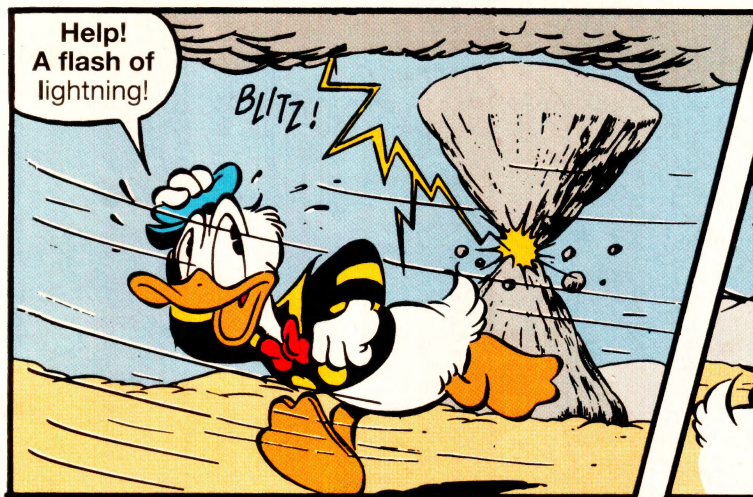
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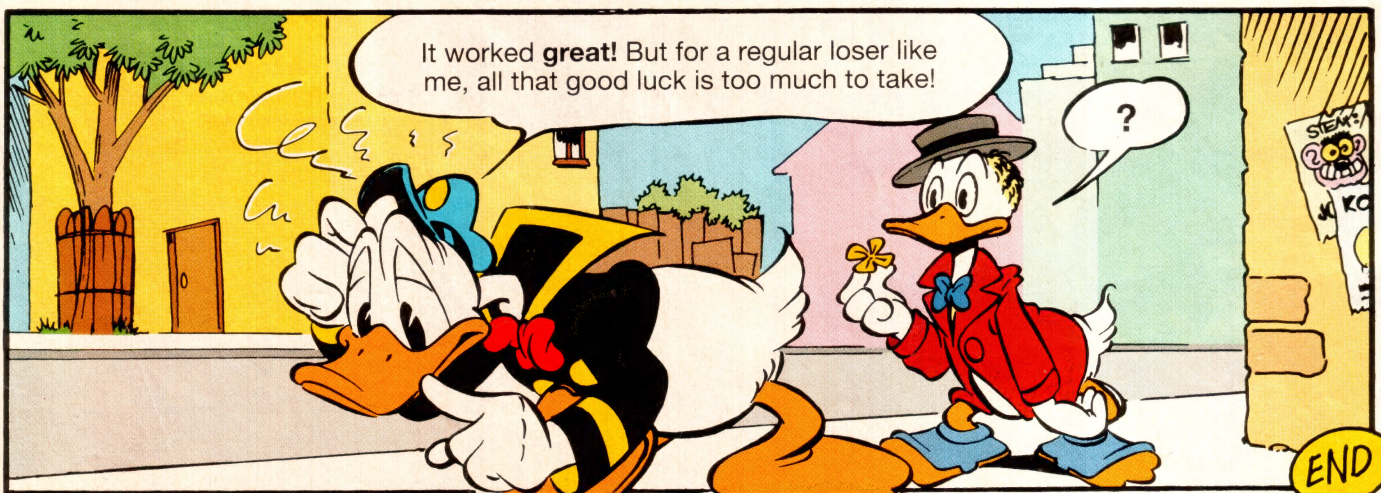
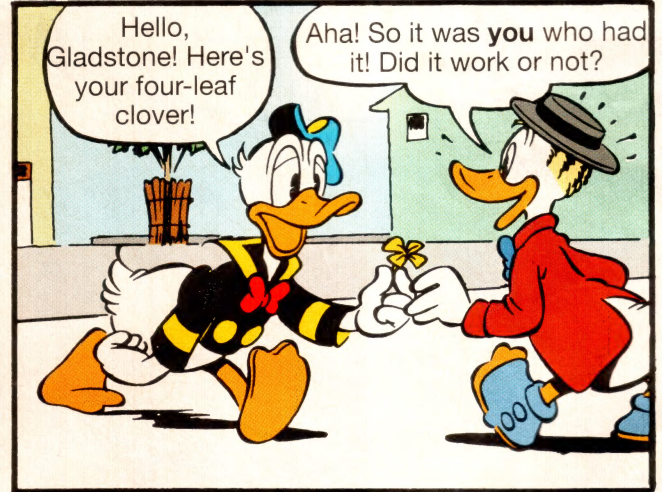
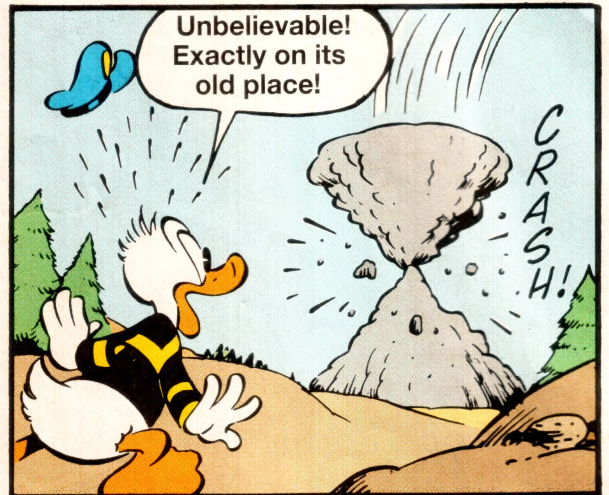
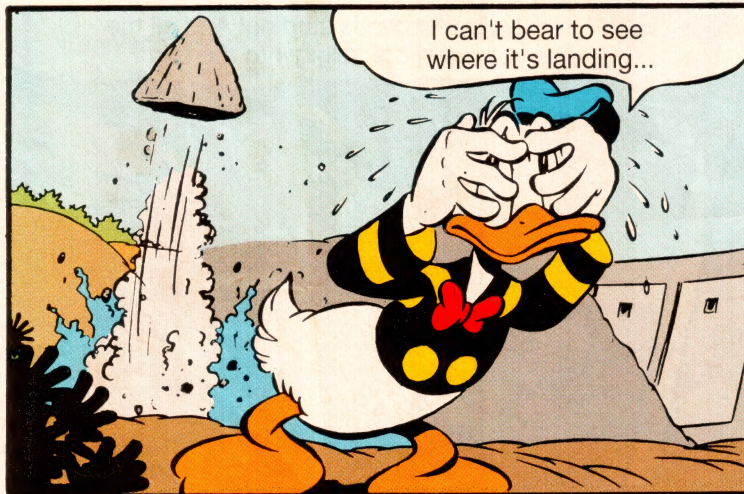
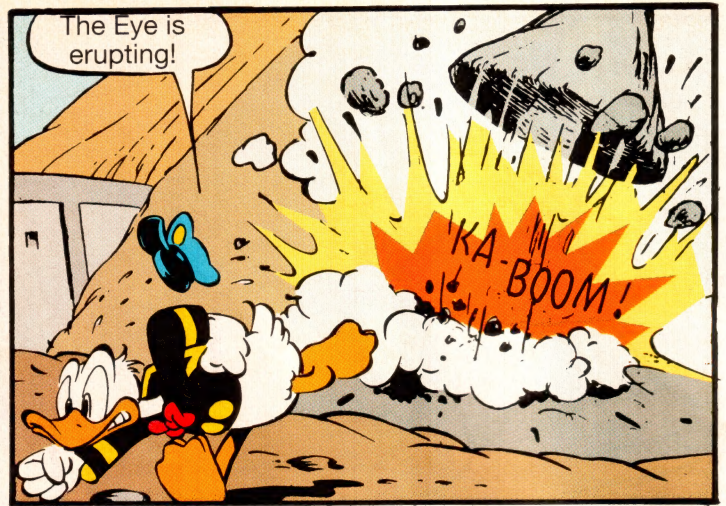
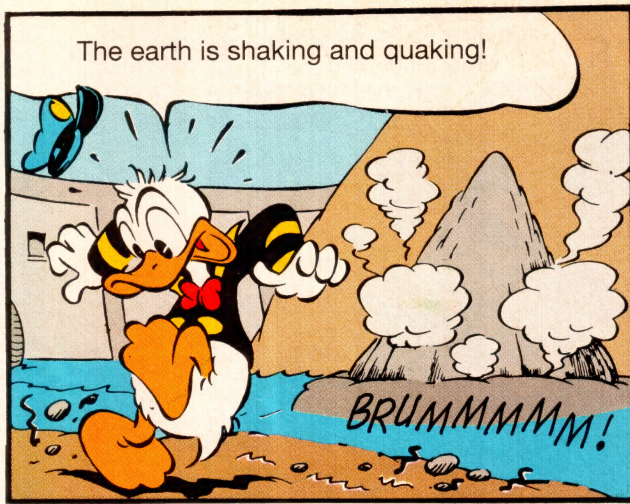
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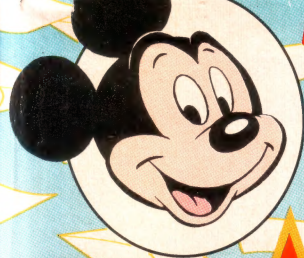












Mickey's mail

Mickey's Mail, P.O. Box 61,
London WC1H 9SG

Dear Goofy,
I have a nick-name at school which is
'tiny', I'm sure you can guess why!
Do you like being called Goofy?

Lee Brighten, Derby.
Gawrsh, ah don't know
what else ah could be
called other than Clumsy or
Dopey!
Love Goofy.



Goofy looks as though he's
having fun skiing in this
picture from **David Clarke**
in Ballymena.

STAR PICTURE

This week's fantastic star prize is a **Geosafari Senior Electronic Quiz Game** from **Educational Insights**. The game comes complete with 34 colour Maps/Charts covering Countries, Continents, Flags, Ecology of the World, Currencies plus other exciting subjects. Impress your friends with your knowledge of the world! If you would like to try and win, just send in your letters, poems and drawings to Mickey's Mail at the address above.



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SURPRISE! SURPRISE!

Hello to: **Laura Griffith** in Wakefield, **Samantha Williams** in Gwent, **Romina Sceats** in Clacton-on-Sea, **Sarah Codey** in Huddersfield, **Miriam Mynard** in Olney.

POETS' CORNER

Here are a couple of readers' poems:

Mickey and friends is the best,
Better than any of the rest,
Full of tricks, stories and puzzles,
They will definitely get you in a muddle,
Goofy and Donald are there for you,
Don't forget Huey, Dewey and Louie, too,
Mickey Mouse, he's really great,
Fun for me and my mate!
Jessica Taylor, Milton Keynes.

Their tails are long,
Their faces small,
They haven't any chins at all,
Their ears are pink,
Their teeth are white,
They run about the house all night,
They nibble things they shouldn't touch,
People don't seem to like them much,
But I think mice are really nice,
Especially Mickey and Minnie!
Sarra Jane Cresswell, Swindon.

Answer to "Who's stealing the wine?"

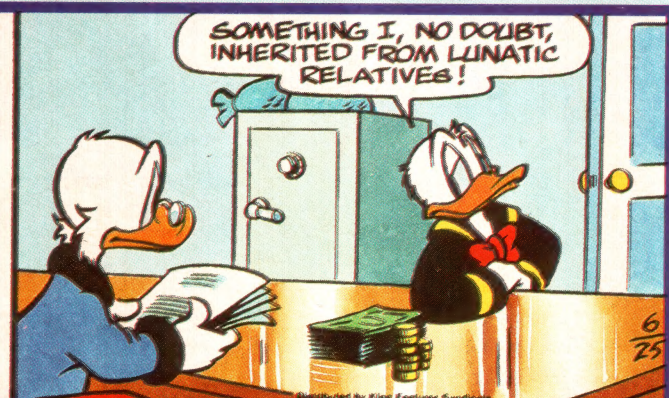
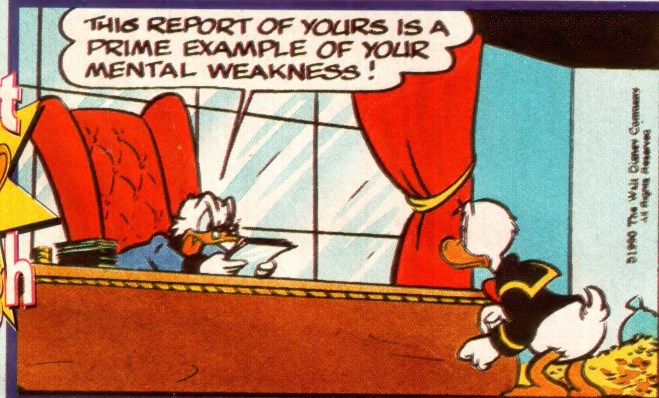
Mickey knew that no one, in fact, was stealing the wine. The loaded lorry didn't weigh as much as the empty lorry plus the wine cases because the driver had changed. When the empty lorry was being weighed (picture 3) Big

Bad Pete was the driver. When the loaded lorry was being weighed (picture 5) his accomplice, Weasel, was driving. Big Bad Pete is obviously much heavier than Weasel, so the difference in the load was not in the weight of the bottles but in the weight of the drivers!



Minnie's all ready for Wimbledon in this week's star picture from **Dona Reyes** of Battersea.

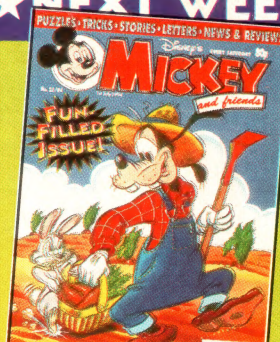
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more fun and giggles!



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Ice Cream For Three!

